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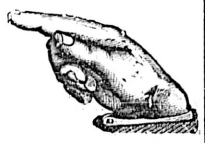
LOST—On the 29th inst., a fox terrier pup, (3 months old), answers to the name of "Dude." Anyone returning the same to No. 20 Belcher street will be rewarded. no1-6t

"Johannis"



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VICTORIA Lodge, No. 83, Daughters of St. George, decided at their last meeting to give a masquerade ball on February 14, 1896, St. Valentine's Day. Although the announcement is somewhat early, the Daughters of St. George wish to show that it is a live order. no6-1t

A CHALLENGE—The Single Tax Club will meet in Temperance Hall, this evening, November 6th, at 8 p.m., for a public debate on the subject "Is Private Property in Land Justifiable?" Advocates of the present system of land monopoly are invited to attend and defend their position. Admission free. no6-1t

BUTTER—Manitoba butter at cash prices—No. 1, 30c., 25c.; cooking, 20c., 15c., 10c.; fresh Eastern eggs, large, 25c.; sausage, etc. Robt. Eccles & Son. no6 1t

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Fine team of draught horses, cost $350, and in good condition.
Chestnut horse, 4 years old, sound and gentle, broken to saddle, suit lady or gent.
Horse, buggy and harness; a very useful outfit.
These must be sold. Sale to commence with horses and carpets.
HERBERT CUTHBERT & CO.,
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FISHERY SEIZURE.

The Canadian Cruiser "Petrel" Seizes a Quantity of Gill Nets and Fish.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 5.—A special from Sandusky says: "Yesterday afternoon the Canadian cruiser Petrel seized a lot of gill nets and fish owned by Sandusky fishermen. The fishermen assert that the nets were in American waters. Had it not been for the swiftness of the tugs they would also have been seized as the Petrel chased them a mile. The fishermen say they will demand an investigation."

CABLE NEWS.

The British Minister at Constantinople Has Instructions Regarding Armenian Outrages.

Negroes Hanged by Cuban Insurgents Colonel Von Henneken in Berlin - Formosa.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—It is again stated here that the British ambassador at Washington, Sir Julian Pauncefote, has been in communication with the state department at Washington on the subject of the missionaries among the Armenians with the result that instructions have been sent to the British charge d'affaires at Constantinople, Hon Michael Herbert, and to the United States ambassador to Turkey, Mr. Alexander W. Terrell, to take joint action in the matter.

A special from Shanghai says that Liu Hung Fu, the Blag Flag leader in the island of Formosa, is reported to have escaped on a German warship from Amping to Amoy.

The Turkish government has again instructed the governor of Bitlis to protect the American missionaries in that place. Owing to the disturbance the American missionaries, who had been engaged in relieving the suffering Armenians at Sassoun, have decided to postpone operations and seek safety in Bitlis.

The marriage of Count Max de Foras, son of the Grand Marshal of the Bulgaria court, and Maria, daughter of General Meredith Read, formerly U. S. minister to Greece, was celebrated at noon to-day in the church of St. Phillip du Roule.

The Emperor arrived at his hunting castle in Gruenwald at noon to-day. He wore a check pelerine cloak and a high hat. After luncheon, at the head of his hunting party, two in number, His Majesty started for Hubertusstock to hunt in the Gruenwald forests.

The Vossische Zeitung says that Colonel von Hannekin, the German officer who was military assistant to Viceroy Li Hung Chang, has arrived in Berlin from China, charged with a special mission and fully empowered to arrange for the reorganization of the Chinese army on the Russian, French or German model.

It is announced that the Cuban insurgents hanged yesterday a number of negroes to trees in the Plateabos district of the Cabarian province of Santa Clara; and near Guasimal, not far from Sancti Espiritus, also in the province of Santa Clara, the insurgents have derailed a train by use of a dynamite bomb. A number of cattle were killed.

Business on the London stock exchange to-day was unsettled. Pending developments on the political situation Americans were heavy.

The German committee on the exploration for the South pole, has met, Privy Councillor Neumayer presiding, and resolved to start two vessels from Kerguelen island in furtherance of the work.

A party of civilians insulted and stoned a sentry at the Pioneer barracks, Koenigsberg, yesterday. The sentry thereupon fired upon and killed one and severely wounded another of the party.

The papers of Madrid state that 35,000 troops will be sent to Cuba forthwith, and additional reinforcements will be sent as required. Reports received here are to the effect that the insurgents continue to burn villages and plantations and to attempt to dynamite the railroads. Fully 5,000 men have joined the Cuban insurgents from Matanzas province in the last forty days. About fifteen days ago twenty insurgents concealed themselves in a cemetery on the outskirts of Cardenas, attacking forty passing regulars. The insurgents lost two dead, five wounded; Spanish loss, eight killed, eleven wounded. A priest who went to La Crete camp to hear confessions, reports having found 350 armed and 200 unarmed men in Sagua district. Letters from Maceo say his headquarters near Santiago are unmolested by the Spaniards. He is on the aggressive.

BRITISH GUIANA'S NEEDS.

The Sugar Planters Petition the British Government to Aid Their Industry.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—The Secretary of State for the Colonies, Rt. Hon. Mr. Chamberlain, has received petitions from the planters in British Guiana pointing out that that they are suffering from a serious decline in the sugar industry and urging that the necessity for government aid is so great that the extinction of this industry in British Guiana is threatened unless the planters are promptly assisted. The planters suggest that parliament impose a counter-vailing duty on all foreign sugars imported into the United Kingdom, so that an equal bounty may be obtained on its export from British Guiana. Continuing, the planters of British Guiana suggest that preparations be made for accepting any favorable reciprocity arrangement offered with the United States and the British colonies and in all other ways that British Guiana be treated as part of the British empire.

CHURCHILL-VANDERBILT.

Something About the Coming Society Marriage in New York—Rehearsal of the Ceremonals.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The Duke of Marlborough cut short his visit to Washington City, and was back in town before daybreak yesterday morning. Several important considerations hastened his return, one of which was the rehearsal of the wedding. It is also rumored that the future duchess was suffering from a slight indisposition, owing to the worry attendant upon the preparations for the wedding to-morrow, and the duke could not remain away from her longer. Detectives are on duty at the corner of Seventy-second street continuously, to prevent, as far as they are able, annoyance to the Vanderbilt family, but they cannot keep people away so long as there is any chance of getting a glimpse of the duke or his future bride, or in fact any member of the Vanderbilt family. The bridal party, after yesterday's rehearsal, repaired to the house of Mrs. Vanderbilt, where they looked over the wedding presents, and later attended a dinner given to the bridesmaids. The Duke of Marlborough, with his best man, Ivor C. Guest, and the ushers, were among the guests. The duke presented souvenirs to the bridesmaids in the shape of diamond and turquoise brooches. Women, for the most part, make up the steady stream of the curious who pass the house of Mrs. Vanderbilt daily. Probably nothing in this city attracts so many sightseers as the home of the young woman who is to-morrow to become the Duchess of Marlborough. It must not be supposed that no men have been attracted thither. There are numbers of them, and their curiosity is keen. The women are generally well dressed, but there are many who evidently come from the poorer parts of New York.

U. S. ELECTIONS.

New York Republicans Still Control the State and Tammany the City.

NEW YORK.

ALBANY, Nov. 5.—At 9:15 o'clock the Associated Press returns, as received by those in the executive chamber were of such a nature that Secretary Cole sent word to Governor Morton that the Republican state ticket had been elected, that the assembly and senate would be Republican and that Tammany had again obtained control of New York city.

MICHIGAN.

DETROIT, Nov. 5.—Mr. Pingree, Republican, was elected for his fourth term by upwards of 10,000 plurality over Coldwater, Democrat. His majority is over 5,000 greater than two years ago. The Republican city ticket is elected and the council will contain three more Republican aldermen than last year. Of sixteen aldermen chosen but four are Democrats.

MARYLAND.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 5.—The Herald (Independent) concedes Lowe's election, and says his majority in the state may reach 20,000. It also concedes the election of a Republican legislature, which insures a Republican successor to U. S. Senator Gorman. The entire Republican state ticket and city ticket is elected by good majorities.

OHIO.

TOLEDO, Nov. 5.—The indications are that the entire Republican ticket has been elected by 25,000 majority.

MASSACHUSETTS.

BOSTON, Nov. 5.—Returns indicate that the majority of Greenhalge for governor will be about 65,000 in the state.

TRIAL FOR THEIR LIVES.

A Jury Obtained to Try the Hyams Twins for the Murder of Willie Wells.

TORONTO, Nov. 5—(Special)—Long before the hour for opening the assize court this afternoon, crowds began to gather about the building, all eager to get into the stuffy little room, where this afternoon the Hyams twins were placed on trial for their lives for the second time. When the doors were opened a rush was made, but only those who had business or were friends of the doorkeeper were admitted. Judge Ferguson presided. Dallas and Harry Hyams were neatly dressed in black. They smiled as they walked in, though pale and haggard both seemed to be in good health. Messrs. Lount and Murdoch are counsel for Harry Hyams, while Messrs. Johnson and Horn appeared for Dallas. Beside Mr. Johnson, sat Messrs. Wellman and Gooch, of New York, who, though not allowed to plead, will render valuable assistance to the counsel for the prisoners. B. B. Osler is the crown prosecutor. At the former trial the jury disagreed, eleven voting for acquittal and one against, but this time the counsel for the prisoners are confident that their clients will go free, though the crown claims to have new and damaging evidence against them. The defence have also a surprise in store, it is said, which will be exploded when they put Mrs. Harry Hyams in the box to testify in favor of her husband and brother-in-law. The entire afternoon was taken up in selecting a jury.

MINING AT ALBERNI.

Magnificent Ore Turns Up at Copper Island—The Mountain Rose Claim Sold to a Vancouver Syndicate.

ALBERNI, Nov. 4. — (Special) — The inclement weather has driven the prospectors in from the mountains and no new discoveries are reported.

A canoe arrived from from Copper Island mines this morning. The occupants report that the miners continue to sink on the ledge and are down ten feet. The ledge shows up strong and the quality of ore seems to improve as the work progresses.

The Mountain Rose claim, or Mineral Hill, has been sold to a Vancouver syndicate for $1,600. The claim is not in litigation, but it is within the railway belt.

George Brown is considering an offer for his interests in the Missing Link and Champion claims, but it is thought that he will decline.

Preparations are being made for opening the Comstock ledge on Cameron river this month.

LOCK-OUT ON THE CLYDE.

Threatened Strike in the Shipyards Precipitated by the Builders—Much Resentment Manifested.

GLASGOW, Nov. 8.—The Clyde shipbuilders have posted notices to-day which lock out 25 per cent. of the employes in their yards. This precipitates the break which has long been expected as a result of the difficulty in the Belfast shipyards and begins the big strike. Two thousand men were locked out to-night. In several yards all the remaining men struck upon the announcement of the lock-out. Much resentment is manifested at the action of the companies. Only members of the unions were locked out. The companies announced when the strike was first broached that they would lock out 25 per cent. of the employes each successive week after the strike began.

DISTRESSING PAIN CURED.

DEAR SIRS,—I can recommend Hagyard's Yellow Oil for pain of any kind. It cured me of distressing pain that the doctor could not cure, and my doctor is a good one, too.
MRS. DAVID LABOR,
Waterford, Ont.

Merchants who wish special ruling, etc., on their blank books, should inspect the line of samples of home industry at The Colonist Bindery.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau Likely to Enter the Government—News From the Yukon.

New Queen's Counsel - Contemplated Tidal Surveys for the Pacific Coast.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Nov. 5.—Sir Adolph Caron is at present in Montreal, but is expected from there to-morrow night. Current report attributes his frequent visits to Montreal to pending political changes.

A recent editorial in a leading Ontario Conservative daily urging that Lt.-Governor Chapleau be invited to join the ministry has evoked favorable comment in Liberal-Conservative circles in Quebec, and a prominent Montrealer here to-day told your correspondent that he would wager any amount of money that before many weeks are over Lieut.-Governor Chapleau would be a member of the Dominion government.

The Mounted Police department received a report to day, dated September 5, from Inspector Constantine at Fort Cudahy, together with a remittance of $7,000 collected by him in customs and other dues. Inspector Constantine says the feelings of mistrust which first greet the detachment has entirely passed away. Winter quarters for the men will be completed by the end of November. Mr. Ogilvie arrived at Fort Cudahy about the middle of August and immediately commenced to survey the townsite. The output of the mines this season will be about $300,000.

Hon. G. B. Baker arrived here to-day. The question of his acceptance of the solicitor generalship is still unsettled.

It is currently reported that silk will shortly be conferred upon a number of barristers of more than ten years standing resident in different parts of the Dominion. At to-day's meeting of the cabinet the following Nova Scotia barristers were created Queen's counsel: Hon. G. H. Murphy, Arthur Drysdale, Colin Chisholm, Charles E. Tanner, W. E. Roscoe, W. B. A. Ritchie and Edwin Ruggles.

The tidal surveyors employed by the marine department have done splendid work on the Atlantic coast this year, where seven gauges are in operation. The tide tables for next year for Quebec and Halifax are now being prepared, for the first time in Canadian history. The system existing on the Atlantic will be extended to the Pacific coast.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Getting Even With Marchaud.

QUEBEC, Nov. 5.—Mr. Beaugrand, proprietor of La Patrie, Montreal, has withdrawn his parliamentary correspondent as a result of the difference between himself and Hon. Mr. Marchard, leader of the opposition.

Burned to Death.

MONTREAL, Nov. 5.—At Dudswell Junction, Quebec, two sons of J. B. Gauthier, foreman, lost their lives in the burning of the Quebec Central Railway restaurant. Gauthier also may die.

Grand Trunk Service.

TORONTO, Nov. 5.—The Grand Trunk railway has been compelled to discontinue the suburban service in the western district after running for fifteen years. The service has been abandoned through lack of patronage owing to the success of the electric service.

Cardwell Election.

TORONTO, Nov. 5.—The Cardwell Liberals will meet to select a candidate on November 18.

NEWFOUNDLAND SMUGGLERS.

Five Leading Liquor Men Found Guilty and Sentenced to Imprisonment.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., Nov. 5.—(Special)—The present series of smuggling cases against leading liquor dealers charged with buying smuggled liquor, knowing it to be so, was concluded to-night. The judge found five prisoners guilty and sentenced them to terms of imprisonment of from 20 to 40 days each, together with fines of from $100 to $200 each. All the cases were appealed to the Supreme court, the convicting judge granting a stay of proceedings until the appeals are disposed of. The most prominent of those convicted is Michael Tobin, one of the Whitewayite members of the assembly for the Placentia district and a governor of the savings bank. The others are also strong supporters of the Whitewayite government.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

True Bill Found Against Farr for Attempted Murder—Manitoba Politics—Lieut.-Governor Dewdney.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 5.—(Special)—The Winnipeg fall assizes opened to-day. A true bill was found against Farr, the C.P.R. engineer charged with the attempted murder of his wife and children, by burning the house while they were asleep.

Members of the Manitoba government do not deny that an early session of the legislature will be held, but the meeting may not take place till January.

Lieut.-Governor Dewdney, of British Columbia, arrived from the West to-day, and after a brief call on Mr. Hugh John Macdonald, continued on his way to the capital. His visit is said to be of much political significance.

A "beautiful line" of "silver plated ware," comprising the very newest designs. Only the best quality kept at Weiler Bros. x

The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

From Arctic Regions—The Proposed Vancouver Smelter—Items From the Mining Country.

Narrow Escape From Drowning—Important Judgment—Blankets for the Chemainus Indians.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 5.—The B. I. & W. Telephone Co. are to put in a trunk line to Trail, connecting with Rossland and the upper end of Robson and Nelson, and other Kootenay points. The C.P.R. turned over their old telegraph line to the company. A cable will probably be laid between Nelson and Pilot Bay.

Rev. J. O. Stringer preached in Christ church on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Stringer has just returned from a four year's sojourn in the Arctic regions. His remarks were full of interesting facts. He states that the population of the British possessions in the Mackenzie river country is rapidly increasing, as Indians and miners would sooner live in the Queen's country than in Alaska. There is a great deal of placer mining on the Mackenzie river and the Arctic slope, but the miners are demoralizing the Indians and an uprising is feared. The nearest British authority is at Fort Cudahy, too far away to be of any good affect, or the least check on the morals and lives of bad white men and demoralized Indians.

The coach of the Governor-General and the Countess of Aberdeen was detached at Harrison, the party proceeding to Chilliwack. Lord and Lady Aberdeen were enthusiastically welcomed. The distinguished visitors then proceeded West, arriving in Vancouver to-night.

It is said a coal war is about to be waged here.

The city will hereafter sue parties tearing down show bills, the bill posting company to pay all costs.

The council filed a letter from the Provincial Secretary last night, in answer to one from them saying they had reduced the police magistrate's salary to $1,200. The Provincial Secretary stated that the executive considered a lesser amount than $1,800 inadequate.

A suggestion has been made by one of Vancouver's city fathers to the council, to break up the coal trust in the city by themselves supplying private parties with anthracite coal.

J. Mason, an intelligence office keeper, threatens the city with a suit for not collecting their licenses from other intelligence offices.

G. F. Monckton has again applied to the council in the matter of erecting a smelter. He asks a bonus of either "$5 a ton for the first 5,000 tons or $3 per ton for the first 10,000 tons.

James McGeer has written a letter to the council that as Alderman Queen had not attended the health committee meetings for two months his seat be declared vacant according to the city charter. After discussion by the aldermen the letter was filed.

The council will probably terminate the lease of the market building and turn it into a city hall. A central market is a failure in Vancouver.

A committee has been appointed from the council to reply to the government re their declining to reduce the police magistrate's salary.

Another faithful public official, who has served Vancouver since its incorporation, has been so tortured by reflections upon him that to free himself from them he has voluntarily resigned his position.

Mr. Hammersley, the city solicitor, is the last official to fall under the axe of municipal reform.

The Chief Justice gave judgment this morning in a very important mining case, the Fraser River Mining and Developing Co. vs. Gallagher et al. Judgment was given in the original action, removing Mr. Gallagher as trustee. In the judgment in the counter claim the counter claim was dismissed with costs.

Of the Homestake mine, one of the leading mines in the Trail district, which has recently been bonded to a syndicate of Victoria and Vancouver capitalists, disinterested parties here say it is rich in gold bearing high grade ore, and considerable has been done in the way of developing it, and ore bodies are showing up strong and well defined, with enough mineral in sight to warrant the expenditure of a large sum.

WESTMINSTER.

WESTMINSTER, Nov. 5.—The case against John Wilson, in which Miss Ella Doig was the complainant, has been very happily terminated by the marriage of the defendant and complainant in the court. The guardian of the bride objected; but Judge Bole presiding, overruled the objection.

The city council passed a resolution last night respectfully protesting against the proposed changes in the department of registrar of titles and of the Supreme court. The Bar association have commissioned Messrs. P. A. Jenns and Aulay Morrison to personally lay before the government the views of the association in reference to the reported intention not to appoint registrars for New Westminster.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Nov. 5.—Two of the hands of the steamer Cutch went out for a sail on Sunday on the harbor, and capsized. The result was that both men were picked up in an exhausted condition.

The Methodist church at Wellington will shortly be ready for service. The design is a credit to the architect.

While one of Cocking's teams was engaged in drawing a heavy load of giant powder to Johnson's wharf last evening part of the harness broke and the horses became unmanageable and the result was that the wagon brought up with terrible force against the office. One of the horses was killed outright. It was extremely fortunate that the powder did not explode.

The temperance societies of this city want the police commissioners to permit them to furnish an officer and pay him his salary, in order that the interest of the city may be better looked after. The matter will be considered by the commissioners at their next meeting.

Fred Knight was up before M. Bate and J. Hilbert yesterday on a charge of stealing coal from the New Vancouver Coal Company and was further remanded.

Owing to increasing business, Messrs. Leiser & Hamburger are about to make an addition to their already large establishment, about 24 x 26 feet in dimensions.

Mr. Burns, inspector of schools of British Columbia, is in Wellington.

The Peter Jebsen arrived from San Francisco on Saturday for a cargo of New Vancouver Company's coal.

On November 15 the Wellington band will hold a concert and ball.

The Nanaimo Indians have distributed about $400 worth of blankets among the Chemainus Indians, and the event was celebrated by a great dance.

LANGLEY.

LANGLEY, Nov. 3.—The month of October has been exceptionally dry and fine, affording an excellent opportunity for harvesting of all late cereals, the root crops and fruit. Rain fell upon six days, amounting in all to but 0 994 inches, as follows: During the first week, 0 261 inches; second week, 0 552 inches, third week, 0.00; remainder of the month, 0.181 inches. During September rain fell upon twenty-one days and amounted to 5 407 inches.

In October of 1894 rain fell upon sixteen days, amounting to 8.107 inches. September of the same year is also credited with sixteen days and and a rainfall of 7.532 inches. November, 1894, had nineteen days of rain, amounting to 8.302 inches.

KOOTENAY.

(From the Mail.)

The owners of the Last Chance, on McCulloch creek, show their faith in the property by the persistency with which they are prosecuting operations. Thousands of dollars have been spent in this mine by different outfits in order to reach bed rock. Tunnelling to the extent of 2,300 feet has been done without attaining the desired goal. Work has now been commenced on what is known as the old Yale shaft. This shaft is now down 108 feet, and in order to continue the work better appliances were necessary, hence the big pump recently built by the Albion Iron Works, which was shipped to the Bend on Thursday by Horne's boat.

The Columbia River Hydraulic Mining Company have given F. G. Kegler a contract for some $3,000 worth of work on their property in the Big Bend, which will be done during the winter. The lumber will be cut in the vicinity. Professor Nason came down on Sunday and will go East for the winter, returning next May with the necessary machinery. Two hydraulics and 3,400 feet of pipe have already been ordered.

The owners of the American have completed a rawhide trail to Trout lake—two miles and a half. The staff is at work erecting buildings. Work will be prosecuted and ore shipments made throughout the winter. There are about thirty tons on the dump already.

The Gold Yam, a placer proposition on Carnes creek, will be worked with eight men this winter. Messrs. Howe, Anderson and Bailey returned from Tacoma this week and are getting their supplies ready.

A change has been effected in the time schedule of the C. & K. Navigation Company's boats to and from the Wigwam. It is understood that the new arrangements will give three trips a week, instead of two as formerly.

Laforme has a pack train of 23 animals packing 14 tons of supplies to the Lanark and Isabella camps at Illecillewaet.

Tom Horne started for the Big Bend Thursday with his big boat. Besides the pump for the Last Chance he had about four tons of supplies for the different camps.

Encouraging reports have been received from the Park mine. They expect to reach bedrock in a few days.

The contract for the English church has been awarded to E. Picard, and operations will be commenced almost immediately.

Over six tons of supplies were shipped to the Big Bend this week. Several of the camps have begun to get in their winter stores.

Sluicing will be commenced on the Hidden Treasure, Gold Stream.

THE SLOCAN.

(From the Rossland Miner.)

On every hand only encouraging signs are to be seen here, and it is not too much to say that the output for the coming winter will double that of last. The advent of two railroads with one objective point has stimulated the exertions of the small owners, and everyone who has a few tons of ore in sight is preparing to ship.

Steve Bailey at the Payne mine has sacked and on the dump as much ore as was shipped during the whole of last winter. Two hundred tons take up every available inch of store room and still it is being turned out at the rate of two or three tons a day. He can ship at least 500 tons this winter without hurting the mine, and, if this is so, a nice profit should accrue considering that the ore gives smelter returns of nearly 200 ozs. silver and 65 to 70 per cent. lead.

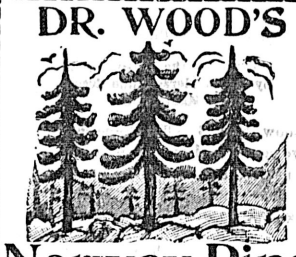
The Washington wagon road is completed and the tramway is now rapidly being pushed to completion. The concentrator will be in operation before the first of the year and its work will add not a little to the tonnage of the Slocan camp.

The Slocan Boy, a crown granted claim lying immediately west of the Washington, has been leased to a Mr. Gibson and four or five men are now at work. The shaft is down 113 feet and the north drift shows 18 inches of mineral with six or seven inches of clean galena.

Eight men are working at the R. E Lee and the bucket tramway is in operation. The output will scarcely fall short of 100 tons. The Last Chance has over 100 tons on the dump and the main showing has not been touched. No stoping has been done, and ore will for this winter only be taken out as development demands.

The American Boy is making a shipment of 80 tons via the K. & S. railroad. The Ruth has 60 or 70 tons out and the stopes present a fine appearance. The Carnation, owned by Dan and Hugh Mann, is preparing to ship a carload. J. A. Finch has bonded the Kirkwood group at the lower end of the lake for $25,000.

DR. WOOD'S



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WANTS.

WANTED—An apprentice to dressmaking. Apply 52 Pandora. no4-6t

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No. 250.

A BY-LAW

To settle the Amount the owners of Land or Real Property, situate within the Municipal limits of the City of Victoria, shall pay for the construction of Branch Sewers to the line of the street to connect such land or real property with a main or common sewer, laid in or under the street upon which the said land or real property fronts.

WHEREAS under and by virtue of sub-section 10*a* of section 273 of the "Municipal Act, 1892," as amended by section 10 of the "Municipal Act Amendment Act, 1894," the Council is empowered by by-law to settle or determine an amount the owners of land or real property shall pay for the construction of branch sewers to the line of the street to connect any land or real property with a main or common sewer, laid in or under the street upon which the said land or real property fronts;

And whereas the Council is also empowered under the authority hereinbefore recited to assess or levy and collect the said amounts so settled or determined, either before or after the completion of the work, as a special rate or tax in addition to all others upon the land or the real property so to be connected, or so connected;

And whereas the Corporation of the City of Victoria has constructed certain branch sewers to the line of the street to connect certain land or real property with main or common sewers under the street upon which the said land or real property fronts;

And whereas the particulars of such land or real property, together with the respective name or names of the owners thereof, and the amount of the cost of constructing a branch sewer as aforesaid to connect such land or real property respectively as aforesaid, are set forth in the schedule following:

SCHEDULE OF COST OF BRANCH SEWERS CONSTRUCTED BY THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B. C.

Name.	Lot.	Block.	Amount.
Albion Iron Works Co.	471	E	$26 60
Anderson, S	416	13	35 10
Allen, W	3	A	6 80
Austin, Robt. H	52	14	50 48
" "	51	14	33 60
Begbie Sir M B (estate)	162	2	98 97
Byrnes, G	W pt 188	1	30 80
B C Board of Trade Building Association, Limited Lbty.	11	77	10 78
	10	77	2 52
Burgess, J P	11	121A	36 00
Bullen, Jonathan	621	L	24 50
Bossi, Giacomo (estate)	467	F	19 90
Bossi, Carlo	582E	I	25 20
Bowker, Mary	476	E	57 24
Boucherat, Jules	415	G	22 75
Beswick, J; Burton F; Burton, Ellen; Cheetham, Beth; Farrar, Sarah	1251	T	36 40
Bryden, J	417	13	35 10
Boscowitz, Leopold	411	13	136 23
Barnard, F S	237	24	36 00
" "	236	24	36 00
Bank of B N A	1610	1	15 40
" "	1614	1	25 20
Bank of B C (WC Ward)	1600	1	14 30
Bank of B C	7	75	14 40
Burns, Thos	W pt 196	1	28 00
Baker, Jas	769	O	21 60
Bowker, J S	72	23	36 72
" "	71	23	20 40
Curtat, Leon	606	M	23 50
" "	605	M	25 00
Chinese Benevolent Association	458	F	57 83
Carey, Herbert C	10	121A	36 00
Chambers, W S	474	E	23 80
" "	475	E	79 86
" "	47	14	24 20
" "	74	23	18 00
Conlin, Ellen Agnes	535	T	26 40
Cowper, Jesse	105	13	35 10
" "	122	2	88 44
C P L & M Co	429	13	24 60
" "	420	2	92 56
" "	2	77	8 28
" "	1	77	13 80
" "	1	77	23 80
Carne, F	1604	I	35 40
Chambers, W S	611 & 612	M	63 08
" "	616	M	21 00
Davie, Dr J C	3	77	5 40
Duck, S	617	M	21 00
Davies, Joshua	599	N	24 25
" "	46	14	24 20
" "	28	14	24 20
DeCosmos, A	533	H	23 10
"	1597	13	57 70
"	660	U	19 25
"	1598	I	14 30
Douglas Jas (estate)	168	13	78 73
Dominion Government	1605-7	13	53 46
" "	1603	13	53 46
Drake M W and Jackson R E	1596	1	12 00
Davie, Hon Theo	10	76	41 40
" "	14	75	9 80
Dick, Douglas D	5	74	11 20
" "	5	74	23 80
Douglas, Jas (estate)	E pt 196	1	28 00
Duncan, Dr J A	E pt 55	23	75 60
Erb, Ludwig E	1267	13	28 50
Earle, Thos	E pt 188	1	30 10
Foster, Mrs M K	1606	14	13 30
Finlayson, R (estate)	1	A	17 60
" "	48	14	24 20
" "	50	14	31 80
" "	W pt 49	14	18 40
Grove, W H	18	4	11 76
Gray, Andrew	465	F	21 10
Green, Theophila T	166	13	56 05
" "	166A	13	35 10
Hart, Michael, et al	464	F	144 13
" "	455	F	26 40
Harrison, E, Jun	4	A	18 00
" "	4	A	6 80
" "	6	A	19 44
Hudson's Bay Co	8	77	2 64
" "	11 & 12	75	9 80
" "	10	72	9 80
" "	12	72	9 80
" "	14	72	46 02
" "	16	72	9 80
" "	1	74	9 80
" "	3	73	47 40
" "	4	73	9 80
" "	26	77	28 00
" "	7	74	23 80
Heron, Robert	416	13	24 60
Haynes, Walter	Pt of 12	121A	36 00
Hall, Dr Francis W	613	M	138 56
Higgins, D W	11	76	15 40
Helmcken, J S	18	76	58 84
" "	19	77	23 80
Hayward, C	10	75	9 80
"	4	74	11 20
Harris, D R	W pt 195	1	28 00
Humphreys, Mrs Caroline	E pt 183	1	29 40
Holland, Josh	E pt 4	13	11 76
" "	W hf 3	13	25 84
Hong Yuen and Chong Yuen	590	N	28 65
" " "	591	N	21 25
Joseph, Lionel B and Josephus B	477	E	23 80
" " "	452	F	29 25
" " "	418	13	133 60
" " "	E pt 661	U	20 00
" " "	E pt 668	U	21 00
" " "	W pt 668	U	22 40
Johnstone, Geo (estate)	165	13	53 53
" " "	164	13	146 05
" " "	164A	13	322 21
John, Albion and Sam'l	5	14	19 15
Jones, Dr Oswald M	54	23	26 96
Ker, R (estate)	23	77	23 80
Keating, A	17	D	30 00
Levi, Phebe	615	M	18 70
Levi, E	622	L	25 90
"	623	L	25 90
Loo Gee Wing	E pt 444	G	52 28
Langley, A J	S pt 441	G	166 61
" "	170	13	245 04
" "	E pt 195	1	28 00
" "	1612	1	25 20
Lenevue, David (estate)	5	77	9 90
Lee Cheong & Lee Yeu You	535	T	26 25
Luney, Jeannette	1	13	29 44
Lewis, Lewis	W pt 183	1	26 60
Methodist Church	454	F	202 84
McGuire, Barney	8	A	19 44
McTavish, Florence	446	G	25 75
" "	6	77	11 00
Marvin, E B	614	M	106 74
McAdie, Henry	462	F	20 40
Macdonald, Wm	466	F	19 90
Macdonald, W J	453	F	196 74
Masonic Temple Ass'n.	609	M	200 99
McHugh, Elizabeth	603	M	204 16
Musgrave, E, & Misses Frances Ann, Florence Sophia and Edith Melesina Lovett	167	A	35 10
	167	A	56 05
Moody, T G	E pt 162A	2	58 22
Milne, Dr G L	240	24	38 40
McLennan, R P, & McFeely, A J	667	U	21 00
McKillican, W D, & Anderson, W J	2	73	37 22
McKeon, W	185	1	56 00
McCartney, J	1 & 2	B	82 00
Meldram, J H	2	13	25 84
"	472	E	24 50
McKee, J C	6	13	30 24
Trustees Methodist C	173	E	119 80
Moriarty, W	W pt 74	23	18 00
McDowell, Wm	604	M	28 90
McTucker, Mary Ellen	191	I	134 55
Nuttall, T C	1595	I	9 60
Nathan, H	603	M	25 00
Ofner, A	626	L	203 92
"	627	L	102 58
"	2 & 3	76	294 15
Oliver, W H	621	L	25 90
"	160	F	42 10
"	161	F	20 20
"	470	E	25 90
"	600	N	24 25
"	585	N	23 10
"	584	N	95 00
"	W pt 162A	2	28 89
"	" 162A	2	269 34
Oliver, W H	1608	1	14 30
"	192	1	42 70
"	189	1	5 20
On Hing Bros	456	F	24 75
"	457	F	55 43
Ordano, G B	187	1	30 10
Pemberton, J D (estate)	533	24	23 75
" "	E pt 238	24	36 00
Phillips, Alex	70	23	20 40
Porter, J	602	M	55 43
"	618	I	22 40
"	E hf 449	G	25 00
"	448	G	232 99
"	447	G	158 14
Porter, Robt	592	N	21 80
Pearse, B W	537	24	11 88
Pendray, W	227	24	111 15
Pitts, S J	190	24	98 52
"	3	B	36 04
"	771	O	17 28
Pemberton, Miss E M	W pt 4	13	19 95
Pittock, Anna	" 162	2	96 33
Redfern, C E	9	121A	36 00
Richardson, Geo	223	24	152 36
Robertson, Margaret Bruce	4	77	14 56
Reid, J M	204	1	5 60
Redon, Louis, & Hartnagle, A O (estate)	412	13	136 23
Reilly, Jno	53	53	26 10
Son, Dora	235	24	57 00
Stephens, Geo	E pt 427	13	71 28
Spencer, D	N hf 170	13	206 18
"	S hf 169	13	284 97
Sayward, Joseph A	9	76	23 00
Smeaton, J	6	76	496 52
"	1601	1	245 31
Smith, W B (estate)	1609	1	57 70
Trustees St Andrew's Church (H F Heisterman, *et al*)	234	24	54 10
Trustees St Andrew's Church (H F Heisterman, *et al*)	233	24	42 70
Sehl, Jacob	15	76	71 34
Southgate, J J, and Lascelles, H D (estate)	17	76	14 40
Sellick, Robert	13	C	13 32
"	14	C	14 40
Shaw, G C	73	23	32 64
Simmons, A W, and Coker, S E	W pt 55	23	20 60
Trounce, T	625	I	26 91
Tollick, John	463	F	23 80
Todd, J H, & Todd, C F	443	G	22 75
Tan Chun	440	N	157 64
Thompson, C W R	1615	1	15 40
Tye, Thos H	186	1	28 70
Turple, Elizabeth A	8	13	31 92
Weiler, J	239	24	11 87
Ward, Robt	9	75	14 00
Watkins, Miss Elizabeth	W pt 184	1	26 60
Watkins, Mrs Margaret	E pt 184	1	21 10
Wood, T L	607	M	23 50
Vernon, F G	419	13	229 30
Vignola, Guisseppe	451	F	26 25
Victoria, City of	586	N	18 90
" "	1249-50	T	33 20
" "	1249-50	T	23 44
" "	1249-50	12	305 20
Young, Cecilia Eliza	1252	T	26 40
Young, Henry	N pt 169	13	284 97
Young, S and Doughty, H M	1	73	10 50
Yates, J	197	1	5 60

The Municipal Council of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:—

1. The amounts payable by the owners of land or real property respectively for the construction of branch sewers to the line of the street, to connect such land or real property with a main or common sewer laid in or under the street upon which the said land or real property fronts, shall be the amounts appearing in the 4th column of the said Schedule above written, set opposite to the respective name or names of such owners respectively.

2. There shall be assessed, levied and collected as a special rate or tax, in addition to all others, on the respective land or real property so connected, appearing in the 2nd and 3rd columns of the said Schedule, the amounts respectively set forth opposite such land or real property in the 4th column of the said Schedule.

3. In default of the respective owners or agents of such land or real property paying the amount or amounts respectively due and payable by them, as settled or determined and assessed by this by-law, within one hundred and twenty days after demand, the same may be recovered, with costs and expenses connected therewith, in a summary manner from such respective owner, or by sale of the property.

4. This by-law may be cited as the "Branch Sewers Construction Assessment By-law, 1895," and shall come into operation on the 9th day of November, 1895.

Passed the Municipal Council the 24th day of October, 1895.

Returned to the Council by the Mayor in an amended form the 28th day of October, 1895.

Reconsidered, adopted, and finally passed by the Council the 28th day of October, 1895.

[L.S.] JOHN TEAGUE, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 28th day of October, A. D., 1895, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

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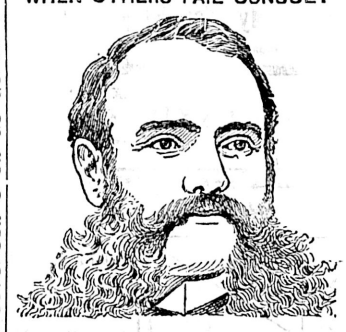

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Composition of the Board Appointed by the Sultan—It Has Come Too Late.

Latest News of a Disquieting Character—More Fighting Between Christians and Turks.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 5.—An official despatch has been received from Marash saying that a conflict has occurred there owing to the Armenians firing upon the Mussulmans, killing one of them and wounding another. The fighting resulted in a lieutenant of gendarmes and five Mussulmans being wounded and fourteen Armenians being killed or wounded. The authorities have restored order.

Several persons were killed and wounded at Diarbekir on Friday during riots arising from an attack upon the mosques. The American missionaries in Bitlis have again complained to United States Minister Terrell that they are in imminent danger. Mr. Terrell and Hon. Michael Herbert, the British charge d'affaires, have again made a demand upon the Porte to insure the protection of Americans. It is rumored that the Turks are still pillaging the Armenian shops in Erzeroum, where the riots are found to be more serious than was at first reported. It is now said that two hundred corpses have already been counted. The Armenian population of Anatolia are sending delegates to petition M Nelidoff, the Russian ambassador, to request Russia to temporarily occupy the Armenian provinces. The Sultan has summoned Tewfik Pasha from Berlin to discuss the situation.

The official announcement of the composition of the Armenian commission of control is as follows: President, Chefik Effendi, of the court of appeals; Djemal Bey, manager of the Bank of Agriculture, carathedor; Effendi and Abdullah Bey, councillors of state; Johanndo Effendi, procureur of the imperial court of appeals; Dilber Effendi, legal councillor to the minister of finance.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—The Times says editorially: Turkish news is of a grave and disquieting character. Like most things Turkish, the appointment of the Armenian commission of control appears to have come too late. The Porte seems to hope that the summoning of the reserve will restore order, but, at best, the process of restoration is likely to be a rough one. The editorial then proceeds to argue that the Armenians by their revolutionary tactics, have forfeited the sympathy of the British government, which have already let their interest go as far towards provoking a disastrous disagreement with European powers as would be permissible to a prudent nation.

The Constantinople correspondent of the Standard says: The fact that the Mussulmans are displaying great eagerness to buy arms creates uneasiness. Capt. Lloyd, of the steamer which transported the victims, has declared at the Austrian consulate that he was an eye-witness of the drowning of the fifty young Turks, who were in that way executed for conspiracy. The Berlin correspondent of the Standard says it is reported here that Tewfik Pasha is to be appointed grand vizier.

BERLIN, Nov. 5.—Ahmed Tewfik Pasha, the Turkish Ambassador to Germany, left this city for Constantinople to-day. There is absolutely no truth in the sensational story in regard to his departure. He leaves Berlin at the request of the Sultan and may become Grand Vizier in succession to Kiamil Pasha, who, as frequently announced, has given notice of his desire to retire from office.

ROME Nov. 5.—A dispatch received today from Constantinople, says that, owing to the recurring disturbances in various parts of the Turkish Empire, the ambassadors of the powers went to the porte separately and urged that immediate and adequate measures for the restoration of order be taken, declaring that otherwise the powers, acting in concert, would take their own steps in the matter.

CHARGES AGAINST ARMENIANS.

They Are Alleged to Have Perpetrated a Number of Outrages Upon Peaceable Turks.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—The Turkish legation has received from the Sublime Porte the following telegram under yesterday's date:

"About twenty Armenians of the Biverej village of Derabekir attacked some gendarmes and patrolling soldiers, killed a number of Mussulmans and set fire to the bazaar. The necessary measures were taken for the preservation of order. The authorities of Erzeroum report that about 500 Armenians, dressed in the costumes of Kurds and Azes, surrounded the village of Manis, Terdjan, inhabited by Mussulmans and Christians alike. They were, however, dispersed. The insurgents of Zeitoun attacked the village of Tchoukour Hissar, wounding one Mussulman, killing his wife and taking away his belongings. They also attacked the village of Ismael and burned three houses. An Armenian of respectable standing was arrested in the act of making cartridges in his own house. A few Armenian spies, dressed in the costumes of soldiers or of officials of the regie, were also arrested.

DEEP WATER WAYS.

Interest Reviving in the Work of the Association Originally Formed in Toronto.

TORONTO, Nov. 4—(Special)—The announcement made yesterday in Washington that President Cleveland had appointed three commissioners to confer with a similar number from Canada on the subject of the deep water ways, has revived local interest in the work of the deep water ways association, which was originally formed in this city during the summer of 1894, and whose recent convention in Cleveland did much to further its objects and secure the aid of the two governments interested. Mr. Howland, M.P.P., president of the deep waterways association, in the course of an interview to-night, said that the American commissioners would prove admirably suited for their work. He was especially pleased at the nomination of Mr. Cooly, an engineer of great ability. He said this was the beginning of most important work. Nothing is so far known as to whom the Canadian government will put upon the commission. It is expected that some of the gentlemen selected will be Mr. Howland, one of the government's chief engineers, and some one other whose name has not yet been mentioned.

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FROM ROSSLAND.

Some Very Interesting and Promising Properties and What Is Being Done to Develop Them.

(From the Rossland Miner.)

A sale of some importance during the week was that of the Surprise lying on Red Mountain between the St. Elmo Consolidated and the War Eagle.

Mr. Noyes has thrown up the contract on the Le Roi deep shaft, too much water and difficulty of timbering being the causes. The company will probably have to fall back on their own efforts in continuing this shaft. The time will no doubt come when the Le Roi will have to run a new shaft or drive a long tunnel. The old shaft was not started right and never will be a good working shaft.

A winze is being sunk from the first level of the War Eagle and this will be intersected by the tunnel on the second level. It is now down thirty-five feet and is in solid ore of high grade. Rapid progress is now being made with No. 2 tunnel since the new drill plant has been installed. A drill has also been put to work in the west end of No. 1 tunnel and is now doing effective work in opening up new ore bodies. The men are getting well started in the eighteen hundred foot tunnel to run in from the Iron Mask. The display of rich ore right at the surface is one of the finest ever seen in this or any other camp. Some of the ore runs over 30 per cent. copper. Its high copper percentage may be seen at a glance, and it is even richer in gold.

On Monday Mr. Clemes, the expert, visited the Homestake, Gopher, Maid of Erin, Robert E. Lee and Celtic Queen. All these properties, as is generally known, lie on the same lode, beginning with the Homestake and running east in the order named. He had no hesitation in expressing his admiration at the manner in which the ledge had been stripped in two or three places on the Homestake. He was also outspoken in his praise of the work done by Superintendent Mark Gilliam on the Lee. He made notes everywhere and sampled each claim wherever an opening had been made.

The O.K. is now a very interesting mine. The effect of Mr. Warner's good judgment and of Superintendent Newman's great experience is plainly apparent in the improved condition of the mine. A rich body of ore has been found at a depth of 320 feet from the surface and an equal distance from the mouth of No. 2 tunnel, and the stopes are all well supplied, so there is an abundance of material for the mill this winter. The new tunnel, 100 feet below No. 2, is now in 150 feet, and is about cutting the vein. When this has been done a very fine bit of stoping ground can be easily opened up. On Wednesday Mr. Clemes went through the stopes of the War Eagle and then inspected the Red Mountain and the Cliff.

A very interesting prospect is the Highland, in which M. S. Thompson, of California, has become interested, and of whose development he has charge. It is situated about five miles north of Rossland, a little beyond Rock creek, which is a stream between Murphy creek and Stony creek. There is a thick growth of timber in that neighborhood, and there is generally a deep deposit of earth over the rock. There is a considerable hill where the Highland comes to the surface and an open place in the timber. It seems to be about the only place on the ledge where a discovery could have been made without going to a considerable depth below the surface. But the showing made at this one spot with very little surface work is really astonishing. No greater showing can be seen in this camp. It deserves to take rank in this respect with the surface exposures on the Homestake and Crown Point. The ledge is at least sixteen feet wide, and it is in ore all the way from side to side. The quality seems to be uniform. There is an unmistakable copper cast about it, and as a matter of fact it runs well in copper. The surface assays average about $15 in gold and copper together. The work of sinking a hundred-foot shaft has just commenced. When this is completed crosscuts will be run to catch the ore body and develop it. This is the work laid out for the winter.

The War Eagle Company has finally been relieved from paying the salary of the custom officer of the Dominion government at Rossland. His salary, amounting to $90 per month, has been paid regularly up to the present by the War Eagle Company ever since the office was established. It was absolutely necessary that a custom house should be established here owing to the great quantity of merchandise and other freight coming in over the Northport road, but the government would not take the step unless somebody would pay the salary of the officer in charge. At this juncture the War Eagle came forward and offered to pay it.

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RECEIPTS.

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Bank of B.N.A.	3,509 44
Land and improvement tax	21,005 69
Water rents and rates	35,824 82
Trade licenses	11,722 50
Liquor	17,745 00
Fire insurance Co's tax	5,400 00
Police court fines and fees	2,050 75
Road tax	2,992 00
Provincial revenue tax	9,582 00
Cemetery fees	1,189 50
Dog tax	374 20
Pound fees	491 65
Market rents and fees	2,003 70
Board of Health	2,400 73
School purposes, special rate	753 88
Provincial Government Education Grant	9,115 10
Provincial Government refunds under Section 109, Municipal Act, 1892	2,408 89
Provincial Government, in aid of fire department	250 00
Miscellaneous receipts	5,161 77
	$135,082 37

EXPENDITURE.

City Debt	$ 78,091 25
Municipal Council	3,772 53
Civic salaries	50,659 72
City Institutions (maintenance)	28,982 43
Buildings and surveys	2,249 17
Streets, bridges and sidewalks	21,403 90
Miscellaneous	13,739 65
Education	35,658 63
Board of Health	12,493 68
	$247,050 96

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INSANITY AND CRIME.

The case of the murderer Shortis is an exceedingly interesting one, and in a sense very important. As our readers know this young man went about robbing a manufacturing concern in a very singular way, and while committing the crime used a revolver in the most reckless manner, killing two of the employes of the company. The young man used no disguise, he had evidently made no preparations, and he attempted the robbery and committed the murders openly, in the presence of several witnesses. Shortis did not act with ordinary foresight, and he did not display common prudence. When he was tried there was no doubt as to his guilt. The only question which the jury had to decide was, could the man who committed such a crime, under such circumstances, be in his right mind? Was he sane or insane? It must strike very many people that this is a question that an ordinary jury is hardly competent to decide. It is most difficult for even trained jurists and experienced medical men to pronounce with certainty where madness begins and responsibility ends. There is no rule to guide laymen whose duty it is to pronounce upon a man's sanity. It is said that some men whose minds are disordered have as keen a sense of right and wrong, as many men about whose sanity there is not the slightest doubt. Then again there are men who talk and act rationally who do not appear to have any moral sense or conscience at all. They commit crimes without a qualm. The consciences of some of these moral cranks appear to be completely perverted. Their moral defects and deformity seem to be congenital. They never had a conscience, or moral sense to cultivate. What is to be done to these moral monsters? When they commit crimes are they to be treated in the same way as ordinary men and women, who, when they break the laws either of God or man, do violence to their better nature. We do not wonder that the trial of Shortis was long and that the jury had much difficulty in arriving at a conclusion that satisfied their own reason and their own consciences. It seems to us that the more intelligent and conscientious the jury was the more difficult it would be for its members to come to a decision.

The question of insanity and responsibility came up for serious consideration in England the other day, when the boy Coombs, who had deliberately murdered his own mother, and an imbecile named Fox, who was in a sense his accomplice, were tried. The Times, commenting upon the trial, says: "There is an uneasy feeling that the law is not what it ought to be; there is even a suspicion that the confusion is becoming worse. Has not the time come for considering the subject in all its bearings and with full freedom from the precedents of ages when lunatics and criminals were lumped together? The occasion is propitious. The controversies between lawyers and doctors on the subject are not so fierce and frequent as they were; neither of the parties is now so confident that the other is wholly wrong as it once was."

What the Times wants appears to be "a body of educated and authoritative opinion on the subject," for the guidance of judges and juries, that would do much to take away the ground of the common belief that people are punished who ought not to be, and *vice versa*. It will, we fear, be very difficult to get such a body of opinion and more difficult still to prevail upon those whose duty it is to administer justice to act upon it. When the question is discussed in the abstract it is not so very hard to come to something like a satisfactory understanding with regard to it; but in the concrete, when men have a criminal to try whose sanity is doubtful, there are so many difficult questions to be considered, so many contradictions to reconcile, it is not greatly to be wondered that the perplexed and bewildered jurymen do not know how to decide, and that some of them may console themselves with the consideration that the verdict they may give, whatever it may be, will be revised and corrected by a higher authority.

ALD. BRAGG'S REPORT.

The reluctance of some members of the City Council to permit Mr. Bragg's report on the way in which the city lighting is managed to be read, is difficult to understand. Alderman Bragg as chairman of the electric light committee was the proper man to draw up and present such a report. In fact it was his duty to do so. If he saw things going wrong in his department, and if in his opinion the men in charge of the lighting apparatus were not doing their work faithfully and properly, he as chairman of the committee would be guilty of a grave dereliction of duty if he did not formally and publicly inform the Council of the fact. As long as he did not do so he was responsible for any mismanagement or unfaithfulness that might exist in the department. The reluctance of members of the Council and of committees to say or do anything that may be unpleasant about individuals in the employ of the Corporation has been observed before now and may have been the cause of some of the evils of which the citizens complain. If the official complained of does his duty efficiently and honestly he has nothing to fear from the most searching investigation and the most thorough discussion; if he is incompetent or neglectful the sooner his incompetency and neglect are known and proved the better, both for the citizens and the Corporation.

We trust that, with respect to the officer of whom Alderman Bragg complains, the Council will act promptly, energetically and impartially. Every opportunity should be given to Mr. Hutcheson to prove that Alderman Bragg's charges are groundless; but the inquiry should not be put off a single day longer than is absolutely necessary. It is most important that the superintendent of the city lighting should be intelligent and efficient. All parts of the city should be lighted whenever lighting is required. The streets should not be left in darkness when the comfort and the safety of the citizens require that they should be well lighted. The stupid fashion of lighting the city by the almanac should be abandoned at once and forever. It is easily seen that an active, energetic and intelligent superintendent could do a very great deal to make the streets pleasant and safe to walk in in the night time. It almost altogether depends upon him whether the expensive electric plant is kept in good working condition, and whether the citizens get good value for their money. A good superintendent deserves all the support and encouragement that can be given him; but a careless, neglectful and lazy one is a nuisance.

THE BYE-ELECTIONS.

The Government are determined to have all the seats that are vacant in the House of Commons filled before Parliament meets. There will, therefore, in November and December be six bye-elections, three in Ontario and three in Quebec. There is every prospect of there being close contests in almost all the constituencies. The seats were carried by the Conservative party by the following majorities:

Cardwell	248
West Huron	16
North Ontario	254
Montreal Centre	1214
Missisquoi	159
Jacques Cartier	276

We observe that the Manitoba school question is being worked by the Opposition for all it is worth in the Ontario constituencies. While the Opposition are too cowardly to state in definite terms what is their policy on that question they are doing their best to create prejudice against the Government by declaring that it is its intention to coerce Manitoba. The dishonesty of the Grits is so conspicuous on this question that we hardly think that they will succeed in deceiving any of the electors except those who want to be deceived. All lovers of honesty must be disgusted with the double-dealing of the Grits in all parts of the Dominion on this question.

THE REPUDIATOR REPUDIATED.

There is trouble in the French Canadian section of the Liberal party. The old Liberals, it seems, are too liberal for the new Liberals of the Laurier school. Mr. Beaugrand, proprietor of La Patrie, long the mouthpiece of the Liberal party in Quebec, after he had announced that the new editor of his paper is not afraid to follow in the footsteps of the Liberal newspapers in which the Liberals of a former generation expressed their principles and promulgated their opinions, was immediately told by Mr. Laurier that he did not admit that La Patrie had the right to speak in the name of the Liberal party. Mr. Beaugrand replied to Mr. Laurier in a vein of contemptuous good humor, comparing the Liberals for whom his paper spoke in times not very long past, whose names have become historical, with the Liberals who are Mr. Laurier's associates and co-laborers, and wound up by saying: "I think I have said enough to-day to prove abundantly that I have not, have never had, and will never have, the pretension to pose as your accredited organ, and, my dear Mr. Laurier, I am too old now to change my habits."

This is how Mr. Beaugrand, the proprietor of La Patrie, repudiated Mr. Laurier's repudiation. "You cannot be my organ," says Mr. Laurier, to which La Patrie replies: "I am not your organ; I was never your organ; and I will not be your organ." Mr. Marchand, the Leader of the Liberal Opposition in the Provincial Assembly, followed Mr. Laurier's example, and was asked to "be good enough like our friend Mr. Laurier to quote one word, a date, or even an inclination, that would lead you to believe that La Patrie had ever the pretension to pose as your personal organ, or that of our friends at Quebec who were present at the end, but who did not pay the expenses of a first-class funeral for the Parti National at the time of Mr. Mercier's final crash on the 8th of March, 1892."

We have no doubt but that Mr. Laurier and Mr. Marchand would to-day be better pleased with themselves than they are if they had had the prudence to leave Mr. Beaugrand and his La Patrie alone.

What this split in the ranks of the Liberal party indicates does not yet appear. But this we do know, that if there were signs of a similar split in the ranks of the Conservative party the Grits would raise a shout of triumph and predict the speedy downfall of the Tories. The old Liberals, both in Quebec and Ontario, are quite numerous. They never had any great love for Mr. Laurier and the men by whom he is surrounded, and this public attempt to sit on La Patrie is not calculated to strengthen the party of the Opposition in either Province.

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20 CENTS PER WEEK.

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Members of sister lodges and sojourning brothers are cordially invited to attend.

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THE CITY.

THE usual weekly sitting of the small debts court will be held to-day.

A SPECIAL meeting of the executive committee of the Young Women's Christian Association will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A COMMITTEE of the Y.M.I. met last evening and completed arrangements for the society's annual dance to be held on Thanksgiving eve.

MR. S. NAMURA desires to correct the impression that he is the Japanese vice-consul, an honor inadvertently conferred on him yesterday in the item referring to the Japanese patriotic celebration.

J. C. CALBREATH, who is down from Fort Wrangel, says that just before he left the North it was reported that some new placer ground had been discovered this season on Mud river, in Cassiar, which paid $15 a day to the man.

TICKETS for the Jubilee Hospital Ball, to be held on the 7th inst., can be had from Challoner & Mitchell, Davidson Bros, R Jamieson, T. N. Hibben & Co., and will be on sale at the Assembly rooms, Fort street, on the day of the ball. x

THE cast of characters for Olivette is the strongest the Juvenile Opera Co. have ever been favored with, and all are making great progress. One of the interesting features will be the "Little Jack Tar" ballet by twelve little girls under eight years of age. Owing to the schools closing earlier the rehearsals will hereafter be held from 3:30 until 5:30, Thursday afternoons in A.O.U.W. hall.

YESTERDAY Farrell, by whose pistol Georgie Douglas was wounded a couple of weeks ago at the American hotel, was brought up before Mr. Justice Crease to elect for trial. As he wished further delay he was remanded for trial at the assizes; he will be allowed to elect for speedy trial in the meantime if he prefers. Henry Johnson committed for trial for endeavoring to pass a Confederate States bill, elected to be tried at the assizes.

JACK FORBES, who a few years ago was spoken of in whispers as one of the smuggling kings of Puget Sound, made his appearance in the Victoria police court yesterday to face a charge of being an habitual frequenter of houses of ill-fame. Forbes has been very much down on his luck of late, but he denies that he is quite as black as the charge paints him. The case will be investigated on Friday of this week, and in the meantime the accused has provided bail in the amount of $100.

THE Single Tax Club have arranged to hold a public meeting in Temperance hall, Pandora street, this evening at 8 o'clock, when the question will be debated, "Is property in land justifiable?" The following resolution will be moved: "That in the opinion of this meeting there is and can be no just title to an exclusive ownership of the soil and that private property in land is a bold, bare, enormous wrong like that of chattel slavery." Invitations have been sent to a number of prominent men asking them to attend and support the present system of land tenure.

THREE candidates presented themselves at the recent examination in practical assaying conducted by Mr. H. Carmichael, the provincial government analyst, and Mr. W. Pellew Harvey, of Vancouver. The subjects taken up were thoroughly practical and as a result of the examination Mr. J. B. Thompson, of Alberni, and Mr. E. C. Musgrave, of Cowichan, have been declared entitled to certificates of competency, while a third candidate has yet to be examined in one subject, having satisfied the examining board of his fitness in all other branches of assaying. The next examinations will probably be held in April next, the treatment of nickel ores being added to the subjects dealt with, and the test of competence being in consequence slightly more difficult.

THE agenda of the annual meeting of the Woman's Council was submitted to the executive on Monday afternoon. A number of resolutions from several of the federated societies were read and will be dealt with at the meeting on Friday afternoon in the city hall, opening at 1:30. The business of the morning, which will consist of reports from the secretary and treasurer, will open at 10 o'clock, after which the election of officers will take place. Each federated society is entitled to three representatives, exclusive of the president, thus allowing four votes to every society. All members of the local council may take part in the discussion, but cannot vote. The ladies whose signatures are on the resolutions sent in will be present to move and second them. Previous to the adoption of the standing orders recommended by the National Council a question box will be conducted by the Countess of Aberdeen. These meetings are expected to be full of interest and are open to the public.

THE question of securing the enactment of a Sunday observance by-law similar to that in operation in Toronto and other Eastern cities, is again receiving the serious consideration of the Ministerial association of Victoria, and was the subject of a report from a special committee at the association's regular meeting on Monday. The city council, when approached on the subject, had questioned their power under the Municipal act to introduce or pass such a by-law as was asked for, and the association had immediately asked the Attorney-General for his opinion. The reply was presented by the committee to Monday's meeting, and was in effect that, while the point was new and had not been very carefully inquired into there appeared nothing in the act to prevent the adoption of such a municipal measure as proposed, if it was desired by the people. It is probable that the association will now return to the council with their request. The matter of inaugurating a crusade against houses of ill-fame was also touched upon at Monday's meeting, but this subject—as that of Sunday observance—was deferred for further consideration for a fortnight.

A GENERAL meeting of the Y.W.C.T.U is to be held this evening at the rooms of the Y.W.C A. on Johnson street.

ALL taking part in the concert to be given in St. John's school room on the 12th instant are requested to meet for final rehearsal on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the school room.

THE choir of Calvary Baptist church are rehearsing a cantata which under the leadership of the choirmaster, Mr. G. F. Watson, will be presented during the first week in December.

TO-DAY at 2 p.m. a large quantity of household furniture will be sold at the auction rooms of Messrs. Cuthbert & Co.; also some exceptionally good horses of almost every class.

THE members of the Women's Council have reserved seats for Friday evening's meeting at the theatre for all delegates attending the annual meeting of the council in the afternoon.

SOME fine specimens of gold quartz have been brought down from the Leech river country by Messrs. C. Phillips-Wolley, J. W. Knight and W. Ratford, who have just returned from a prospecting trip into that district. Several claims have been located by the party.

THE marriage of Mr. John Grace Leveridge, of North road, Victoria, to Miss Pamila Priestly, late of Minneapolis, was solemnized at St. Barnabas church on Monday by the rector, Rev. J. B. Haslam. Mr. and Mrs. Leveridge will take up their residence at once in this city.

ON Monday evening Pride of the Ridge lodge, No. 13, I.O.G.T., installed officers and initiated one candidate. The officers for the ensuing quarter are: C. T., Bro. Leatherly; V. T., Sister Hall; P. C. T., Sister Brown; M., Bro. Clack; Sec., Bro. Moody; Asst. Sec., Sister A. Johnson; F. Sec., Sister J. Johnson; Treas., Bro. Cummings; Chap., Sister M. Carlow; Sentinel, Bro. Geo. Hooper.

THE tickets for the Jubilee hospital ball are going at a lively rate, which promises well for the attendance to morrow evening at the Assembly rooms. The preparations are well advanced, and work is going briskly ahead on the decorations. The ladies' committee in charge request that persons sending donations for the supper will kindly deliver them at the View street entrance to the Assembly hall as early as possible tomorrow (Thursday). Flowers will also be gladly received.

THE Rose Coghlan-L. R. Stockwell company closed their engagement at the Victoria last evening with Miss Coghlan's old favorite "Masks and Faces." In this comedy, a gem of the old English school, the company acquitted themselves infinitely more capably than in "The Magistrate," the result being a performance of excellence and finish, which could not but please—and did please. Miss Ada Levick, who has several times been seen to advantage in more prominent parts than those assigned to her in the Magistrate or Peg Woffington, did all that was required with pleasing grace.

THE pioneers of British Columbia, of whom the deceased had been a prominent member, attended in large numbers at the funeral of Carle Bossi yesterday morning, the cortege leaving the family residence at 9:30 and the interment taking place at Ross Bay cemetery after the impressive mass for the dead had been celebrated at St. Andrew's cathedral by Rev. Father Nicolaye and Rev. Father Althoff. Many who could not attend in person sent floral tokens of sympathy and remembrance, while the pallbearers were old and tried friends who had learned Mr. Bossi's sterling worth during many years' acquaintance. They were Messrs. H. B Aikman, S. T. Styles, J. J. Austin, J. H. Todd, B. H. T. Drake, Thomas Earle, M.P., William Kermode and E. G. Prior, M.P.

THE bright little juvenile operetta "The Tyrolean Queen," which has been under preparation for some time past under the direction of Mrs. Bridges and Mrs. Wilkes will be presented at the A.O.U.W. hall this and to-morrow evenings. The dresses are remarkably pretty, and the scenery has been specially painted for the occasion by Mr. Rene Quentin, who has produced some remarkable effects, especially in the transformation scene and the Fairy Palace. There was a full dress rehearsal last night which showed the children well up in their parts. The leading roles are taken by Miss Edith Lombard, as the Tyrolean Queen; Miss Frances Fraser, the Gypsy Queen; and Miss Bessie Stapleton, the Fairy Queen. The operetta is under the patronage of Lady Aberdeen and her children, who are fully in sympathy with the object to which the proceeds will be devoted, to aid St. Joseph's hospital, and it is to be hoped that the public will show their appreciation by attending in goodly numbers. The full cast of characters is: Tyrolean Queen (Rosalie), Miss Edith Lombard; Gypsy Queen, Miss Frances Fraser; Fair Queen, Miss Bessie Stapleton; Maids of Honor, Misses Elsie Davies, Mabel Davies, Minnie Davies, Mamie Condogeorge; Violet, Miss Nellie Lombard; Saida, Miss E. Carrol; Mosa, Miss A. Bridges; Josephine, Miss D. Bridges; Hans, Master F. Merrifield; Gypsy Bella, Miss A. Webber; Gypsy Nancy, Miss F. Bruno; Gypsy Dick, Master J. Lombard; Gypsy Bob, Master E Leonard; Fairy Stella, Miss B. Wrigleswortb; Fairy Viva, Miss M. Keefe; Fairy Sentinels, Masters James Carrol and C. Merrifield; Fairy Pages, Master Percy Grizelle and Ernie Turner; chorus of Tyroleans, gypsies and fairies. Anyone wishing reserved seats can secure them at 6 Trounce avenue till 6 o'clock each evening by paying 25 cents extra.

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Private letters by the recently arrived City of Topeka give information of still another marine disaster at Tongas Narrows—a piece of inland water especially dreaded at this period of the year by all experienced navigators. The unlucky craft this time is the little steamer Baranoff, which has for some time carried the mail between Wrangel, Shakan and Klawack, which while proceeding to the latter port was swung on the rocks of Revilla Gigedo island in the dense fog. An ugly hole was torn in her hull from about amidships forward on the starboard side and her timbers were all badly strained, the stem being smashed like an egg shell.

After three days' work the crippled steamer was released, and just before the sailing of the Topeka from Juneau Messrs. Laughlin & Forrest, the owners, had received word that she would shortly be towed to that port by the tug Lively—to go on the ways at their machine shop for a course of repair that means practically rebuilding.

The Baranoff is a steamer with a history, and enjoys the unchallengable distinction of being the first steam vessel put together on Alaskan soil. She was built at Sitka in 1862 by the Russian officers then stationed there, and her "given" name was "Rose." A few years later a change of name came with a change of owners, and the Rose became the Baranoff—famous name in that northern land. Under the new name the little steamer played a conspicuous and not unimportant part in the closing scenes of Russian rule in Alaska, and it was her duty to carry away from Sitka the last to depart of the Russian resident officials in the land of the midnight sun.

In 1871 the Baranoff was purchased by the late Hon. Allen Francis, then resident consul of the United States in this city, and was by him brought to Victoria to be entirely remodelled and converted from a side-wheeler into a propeller of the modern knockabout type. She thereupon "resumed her maiden name," and as the Rose returned to the land of her birth under the northern stars.

For several years she lost steadily for her owners in fur gathering cruises, and this trade failing entirely in 1873 she was brought to Puget Sound, once again named the Baranoff, and spent some months carrying mail between the small island ports. She returned to Alaska in the fall of the same year and has since been continually employed there—for the greater part of the time in the service of the Alaska Oil & Guana Co.

THE ladies of St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, held their monthly sale of plain and fancy needlework yesterday, the results being generally satisfactory to all concerned. Recently the congregation has grown so that church enlargement is once again a live subject for serious consideration.

THE Ladies' Guild of St. John's church intend holding their annual bazaar on Tuesday next, the 12th inst., for which they have prepared a number of useful and fancy articles, suitable for Christmas presents. A special feature will be a stall of beautifully dressed dolls, and also a bargain counter, upon which no article will exceed 25 cents in price.

AN eighteen foot centre-board sailboat, double-ended and painted white on the outside, was recently stolen from Mr. W. G. Martin, of Port Angeles, and the thieves are believed to have come this way. The owner of the boat was in Victoria yesterday but could secure no information confirmatory of his suspicions. Besides the boat the thieves secured navigating instruments, clothing, provisions and hunting, sailing and fishing tackle belonging to their prize, as well as numerous fur garments and other clothing belonging to Mr. C. P. Raymond.

THE Royal Templars of Temperance held a very successful open meeting last evening, with Mr. R. H. Jameson in the chair. During the evening addresses were delivered by Rev. J. P. Hicks and Mr. Sprague, and the following programme was well carried out: Pianoforte solo, Mr. Burnett; song, Mr. Moody; reading, Mr. Whittington; song, Mr. Harris; song, Mr. Jameson; recitation, Mr. Henderson; vocal trio, Messrs. Mann, Oliver and Moody. The next open meeting of the council will be held on December 3, for which a good programme is being prepared.

THE first of a series of concerts to be given under the auspices of the I. O. G. T. lodges of this city and Esquimalt will be held on Saturday evening by Perseverance lodge, No. 1. A first class programme is being prepared.

THE case of the young man Parker who was arrested Monday morning for housebreaking at the Pritchard, yesterday dwindled down to an accusation of common theft for which the explanation of drunkenness was put forward with a plea of guilty. It was, too, a first offence for the prisoner, and justice was therefore tempered with all mercy—the offender was discharged. Patrick Ryan, held for petty theft, also walked out of the court room a free man.

PERSONAL.

Wm. B. Maddock, Langley, is registered at the Oriental.

Lieut. W. C. Gardner, R N., left this morning for England via Montreal.

H. F. Price and family leave for New York to-day by the Northern Pacific.

Mrs. C. N. Gowen is visiting in Portland, the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. C. Sheldon.

Superintendent Hussey left this morning for Westminster to attend the fall assizes there.

Barrister E. V. Bodwell and E. A. Jenns arrived down from Vancouver by yesterday evening's Charmer.

A. W. Vowell, superintendent of Indian affairs, leaves this evening for the Kootenays. He will be absent about four weeks.

Captain and Mrs. J. D. Bryant, and Captain R. Collister, inspector of hulls, were passengers from the Mainland by last night's Charmer.

Edmond E. Barchard, Fort Wrangel; J. C. Rowley, Vancouver; and Mrs. Greaves, Duncan, are among the arrivals at the New England.

W. G. and Mrs. Barnfield this morning continue their homeward journey to England. They will cross the continent by the Canadian route and the Atlantic by the steamer Majestic.

Capt. D. Erskine, A.D.C. to the Governor-General, arrived last night and is at the Driard. The vice-regal party will come by this evening's steamer from Vancouver.

Among the arrivals at the Oriental yesterday was F. H. Kane, of Douglas, Alaska. He has brought down a splendid collection of sea otter skins, twenty-seven in number, and worth about $8,000.

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A San Francisco telegram now going the rounds of the Coast papers, which will be read with interest by British Columbia shipping men, is as follows: "The big tramp steamer Evandale, the largest cargo carrier that has ever entered this port, is being fitted up to transport Chinese passengers. She is to be sent to China this time with 350 of these passengers as an experiment, and if it is found that satisfactory arrangements can be made with the owners of the steamer, it is likely that she may be permanently chartered by the Occidental & Oriental Steamship Company for this trade. This move is taken with the aim of keeping the Oriental passenger trade closer to San Francisco, and to offset the efforts of the Northern steamship companies to carry the trans-Pacific business to Puget Sound. For years an important part of the passenger list on all these Oriental steamers has come from the Chinese steerage. The money paid for the transportation of Chinese passengers has been no small part of the revenue of the Pacific Mail and Occidental & Oriental companies. The Northern companies are trying very hard to cut into this by offering to carry these passengers at ridiculous figures."

THE "PRINCE VICTOR'S" ARRIVAL.

A monotonous passage, prolonged greatly by calms and unfavorable sailing weather, was completed by the Norwegian bark Prince Victor, which came to an anchorage in the Royal Roads yesterday morning. The bark was 140 days coming in from Rio de Janeiro on a voyage almost barren of incident. Several huge ice floes were passed in the Antartic, and though at a safe distance, sufficiently close for chills to be felt from the great frozen masses. The Prince Victor is here to load lumber for Valparaiso at the Hastings mill. She is one of fifteen Princes named after members of the English Royal family and belonging to a Mr. Roar, living at Christiana, Norway. The fleet are all excellent vessels of the iron type and some of the most modern built ones have large carrying capacity. Five of them have obtained British Columbia charters this year and Capt. Hansen, of the Victor, says that several more of the fleet are likely to be here in the near future. Some years ago the courteous skipper of the Prince Victor was a member of the editorial staff of the Police Gazette. This is his first visit to Victoria. After his vessel discharges cargo at Valparaiso she takes on ballast and proceeds to Chincas island, to load guano. The bark was yesterday brought in from sea by the American tug Pioneer.

NARROW ESCAPE.

An unknown sailing vessel had a very close call on the rocks at Carmanah on Friday last. Early in the morning of that day the vessel was seen dangerously close to the breakers, and in consequence of her awkward predicament fired distress signals in rapid succession. A very dense fog prevailed at the time and the day throughout was very dark, but fortune favored the unknown stranger. Before the day was in its noon time a stiff breeze off shore arose and the vessel was carried by it out to sea and to safety. The news was brought in by the Maude last evening on her return from the West Coast, but details could not be learned. It is presumed the vessel was inward bound in ballast. The Maude, with the exception of Friday, reports a pleasant trip. She brought to Victoria among her passengers Mr. and Mrs. Mann, formerly residents of Euculet, who are on their way to Winnipeg; Capt. Gould, a well known sealer who made the round trip on the steamer; and W. W. Rhodes, a Seattle Press-Times representative who has been down to Anderson's camp, Alberni, in the interests of his paper.

MARINE NOTES.

Buildings for little Indian homes are continually "going up" along the coast and in consequence of the lumber required the steamer Mischief has had occasion to make several trips, one of which was completed yesterday. She starts on another in a few days, but instead of making Kyuquot her destination will be as far North as Quatsino on her next trip. The Mischief reports a slight earthquake along the coast about 4 p.m. on Friday last.

The U. S. revenue cutter Corwin, which has been in port for several days past while her officers were attending the case of seized sealer Shelby in the Admiralty court, sailed yesterday for the Sound. Her neat and graceful appearance as she lay at anchor in James Bay attracted much attention.

Though haste was made in the discharging and loading of Victoria freight, the O. R. & N. steamship Aslou could not be got in readiness to sail yesterday but will probably get away early this morning. She will be given as quick dispatch as possible from Portland.

The British bark Mary Jose cleared from the Fraser river yesterday with a cargo of salmon valued at $128,219.

Steamers Falcon, Constance and Rainbow arrived yesterday with coal from the island collieries.

The Norwegian bark Prince Louis leaves Vancouver to-day with a lumber cargo valued at $9,124.

Steamer Carter left for Sooke yesterday morning to tow back a small boom of logs.

The steamship City of Topeka, on her way to Alaska, will call here to-morrow morning

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Str. Charmer.....from Vancouver.
" City of Kingston... " Port Townsend.
" Rosalie..... " " "
" Sehome..... " " "
" Pioneer..... " " "
" Asloun ..... " Yokohama.
" Rainbow..... " Comox.
" Mischief ..... " Kyuquot.
Bark Prince Victor..... " Rio Janeiro.

CLEARED.

Str. Charmer..... for Vancouver.
" City of Kingston. .. " Port Townsend.
" Rosalie..... " " "
" Sehome ..... " " "
" Pioneer..... " " "
" Rainbow..... " Barclay Sound.
" Mischief..... " Kyuquot.
" Asloun ..... " Portland.

Catarrh in the Head

Is due to impure blood and cannot be cured with local applications. Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured hundreds of cases of catarrh because it purifies the blood and in this way removes the cause of the disease. It also builds up the system and prevents attacks of pneumonia, diphtheria and typhoid fever.

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After the wedding come the wedding cards—those dainty souvenirs of the happy day. Don't forget that the only complete stock of this kind of stationery in the city is to be seen at the Colonist office. An inspection invited. x

How to Fry with Cottolene

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MR. CARTMEL EXPLAINS.

To THE EDITOR:—It would be interesting to know what Ald. Macmillan is driving at—what there is behind the scenes—for there is more than met the eye when he tried to be funny at my expense in order to draw people's attention from the point at issue and raise applause from his claquers in the audience at the council meeting last evening. His asking for information about certain tools of which he alleges I had charge and which were partly misappropriated by somebody, and for which I ought to be responsible, was only a pretext to embarrass the electric light committee, for he knew perfectly well all about it.

In order, however, to explain to your readers who do not know, and who may wish for some information, I will give the history of my connection with them. When I drew up the specification for the completion of the plant I was informed that there were certain tools and appliances which had been in use by Mr. Stickles that might be available for the work. The large articles were in an open shed at the old station, and small tools, etc., in a piano case in Broad street. These I had removed to the new station. I made inquiries about a list of the tools, but was informed there had never been any, so I obtained from the auditor the whole of the vouchers for purchases made by Mr. Stickles under the by-law, and took a complete inventory. This I compared with the articles themselves and ticked off those broken, worn out or missing. When the contract was let, the contractors (according to the terms of the specification) had the use of the tools; Mr. Losee taking those for the poles, and Cunningham and Hinton those for the lines; and they had them in use when my engagement terminated. I left my inventory with Mr. Northcott, the purchasing agent, and as my responsibility (if I ever had any) ceased before the completion of the contract I cannot see how either Ald. Macmillan or anybody else could hold me accountable.

Perhaps it will astonish Ald. Macmillan to learn, now what he ought to have known before, that I never was a city official, not even the superintendent of the electric light department, but was engaged by that committee, with the consent of the mayor and council, to pull together and complete the plant. D. CARTMEL.

CORBETT AND FITZSIMMONS.

The Champion Will Pay no More Attention to His Challenger and Will Retire From the Ring.

MEMPHIS, Nov. 4—James J. Corbett leaves to-night for New York. He says he will pay no more attention to Fitzsimmons and is contemplating a final retirement from the ring. Corbett has in his possession a letter from Superintendent Rose, of the Iron Mountain railroad, to General Passenger Agent Townsend, in which the statement is made that the railroad people could easily have got Fitzsimmons into Hot Springs, if Fitzsimmons had not insisted on running into the arms of Governor Clark's officers.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a company with power to operate traction engines and cars upon the Cariboo Wagon Road and tributary roads in British Columbia.

W. H. ARMSTRONG,
oc18 Agent for Applicants

NOTICE.

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GEO. A. SARGISON

NOTARY PUBLIC,

Accountant & Agent,

48 LANGLEY ST.

NOTICES.

Public Notice.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of Section 35 of the "Municipal Act Amendment Act, 1894," that the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria has by resolution, n each case of numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, hereunder (which resolutions were passed at a meeting of the said Council held on the 14th day of October instant), declared that:

1. Certain wooden buildings and structures appurtenant thereto situate and being on Lot 94, Block 26, Kane street.

2. Certain wooden buildings and structures appurtenant thereto situate and being on Lot 16, Block 12, Yates street.

3. A certain wooden building and structures appurtenant thereto situate and being on Lot 238, Block 24, Broad street.

4. Certain cabins, buildings and structures situate on the west half of Lot 1260, Block H, Johnson street.

5. Certain wooden cabins, buildings and structures appurtenant thereto situate and being on the north end of Lot 1260, Block H, Johnson street.

6. Certain wooden buildings and structures appurtenant thereto situate and being on the corner of Broad and Pandora streets, Lot 667, Block U.

All of which, being within the municipal limits of the City of Victoria, are in each case, and respectively, a nuisance and dangerous to public health, and it was thereby ordered, that the same shall be pulled down and removed by the respective owners, agent, lessees or occupiers thereof, and in case of default by any of the said owners, agents, lessees or occupiers, within a period of five days after publication of this notice in the DAILY COLONIST, a daily newspaper published in such municipality, to comply with this order it was thereby ordered that such pulling down and removal of the said cabins, buildings and structures shall be done by the Sanitary Officer of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, at the cost of the owners of such cabins, buildings and structures as above mentioned respectively, and that the payment of such cost and all expenses incidental thereto, shall be inforced against the owner thereof by the said Sanitary Officer in an action of law in any court of competent jurisdiction.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
15th October, 1895. oc16

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year, 1895.

FALL ASSIZES.

Vernon .....Monday.....14th October
Lytton .....Friday.....11th October
New Westminster. Wednesday. 6th November
Vancouver.....Monday.....11th November
Victoria .....Tuesday ....19th November
Nanaimo.....Tuesday ....26th November
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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

25th October, 1895.

BRIAN HALSEY TYRWHITT DRAKE, of the City of Victoria, Esquire, Barrister-at-Law, to be Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

30th October, 1895.

WILLIAM J. FEKER, of Kyuquot, V.I., Esquire, to be a Justice of the Peace within and for the Comox Electoral District. nov1-1w

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the Matter of the Official Administrators Act and in the matter of the Estate of Annie Flike, commonly called Annie Fox, Deceased Intestate.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honourable Mr Justice Crease, bearing date the 31st day of October, 1895, I was appointed Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of the above-named, late of the city of Victoria, B.C., deceased.

Persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are requested to send me particulars thereof on or before the 30th day of November, A.D. 1895; and all persons indebted to said deceased are requested to pay such in debtedness to me forthwith.

W. MONTEITH,
no1-6t Official Administrator.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I have this day taken possession of all the goods and chattels now in and upon the premises known as 133 Government street, Victoria, mentioned in a certain chattel mortgage made by Frederick Landsberg, in favor of Joseph Marymont, dated the 29th day of May, 1895.

H. SIDDALL,
Bailiff for the said Mortgagee.
Dated October 23, 1895. oc24

NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between Charles Cookson and Hunter Plows, as plumbers, etc., under the firm name of Cookson & Plows, was dissolved on the 26th October. Charles Cookson will carry on the business and collect all debts and pay all liabilities of the old firm. Claims must be presented at once.

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NOTICE.

Belleville St., between McClure St and Birdcage Walk, is closed to Public Traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
aug 3 City Engineer.

NOTICE—Estate of F. W. Robson—Final dividend in the above estate will be declared on the 21th day of November next, and will be payable immediately thereafter at the office of R. P. Rithet & Co. Ltd., Wharf street, Victoria, regard being had only to such creditors of the estate as shall then have sent in and proved their claim.

Dated the 23rd day of October, 1895.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
oc24-1m Solicitors for the Assignee.

TENDERS.

TENDERS

Will be received by the undersigned up to the 30th day of November, 1895, for the purchase of all or any of the following described properties, viz:

Victoria City.

1. Lots 13 (thirteen), and fourteen (14), portions of subsection twenty-nine (29), of section eighteen (18), Victoria District, now Victoria City Map 71. These lots are situate at the corner of Dallas Road and Simcoe street.

2. Lots one (1), two (2), three 3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), lying between Pandora Avenue and Alfred street, of sections twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), forty (40), forty-one (41), forty-two (42) and forty-three (43), Spring Ridge Map 182.

3. Section 32, Spring Ridge (less a strip 10 feet wide taken from the northerly and southerly sides for road purposes, lying between Pandora Avenue and Alfred street, together with the dwelling house and other buildings thereon.

4. Part (43 ft. x 135 ft.), of section 33, Spring Ridge (Pandora Avenue.)

5. Lot one hundred and seventy-six (176), Block one (1), together with the brick building thereon erected. These premises are situated and numbered thirty-nine 39), and forty-one (41), in Johnson street.

6. Lot three (3), fronting Foul Bay, part of section XIX, Victoria District.

7. Lot one hundred and twenty-seven, in Block "Q," of section thirty one (31), Victoria West, together with the frame dwelling house erected thereon. This Lot fronts on Langford street.

8. A sum of nine hundred dollars ($900), carrying interest at eight per cent. per annum secured by mortgage of Lots one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (1,897), and one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight (1,898), Kingston street, James Bay, subject to a prior mortgage to secure two thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars ($2,750), and interest at nine per cent. per annum.

Esquimalt District.

An undivided one-third interest in suburban Lot fifty-four (54), fronting on Constance Cove, Esquimalt.

Sooke District

Sections thirty (30), thirty one (31), and forty-eight (48), containing three hundred and sixty-eight and seventy one-hundredths (368.70-100ths) acres more or less.

Rupert District.

Section fourteen (14), Township two (11), containing four hundred and eighty-three acres more or less.

Coast District.

Lot nine (9), Range two (2), containing one hundred and sixty-six acres more or less.

Alberni District.

1. Lot one hundred and forty (140), containing one hundred and forty-six acres more or less.

2. Lots four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), Block one (1) in townsite of Alberni, (Map 197), subdivisions of Lot one (1), Alberni District.

Queen Charlotte District.

The north west quarter (N.W. ¼), section twenty-four (24), and south west quarter (S.W. ¼), section twenty-five, Township nine (9), and north west quarter (N. W. ¼), section six (6), and south west quarter (S.W ¼), section seven (7), Township seven (7), containing altogether six hundred and forty acres (640 acres) more or less.

Clayoquot District.

Section forty-four (44), containing one hundred and seventy acres (170 acres) more or less.

Texada Island—New Westminster District.

An undivided one-seventh interest in the south west fractional quarter of section three (3), and the north west quarter of section five (5), containing three hundred and seven acres (307 acres) more or less.

Lasquiti Island—Nanaimo District.

An undivided one-fifth interest in sections thirteen (13), twenty (20), and thirty-five (35), and south west quarter (S. W. ¼), of section twenty-nine (29)

Terms cash.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For further particulars apply to

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TENDERS WANTED.

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in certain indentures of mortgage registered in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B C., as No. 11138B, in Charge Book vol. 10, fol. 94, and No. 11493B, in Charge Book vol. 10, fol. 179, tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon of the 14th day of November, 1895, for the purchase of the houses and lots described therein.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

There is a well built two-storey frame dwelling, brick foundation, on one lot, and a frame cottage on the other.

For particulars and permits to view the premises apply to

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Passengers for Kettle River and Boundary Creek connect at Marcus with stage on Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

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" .....Ontario.....Nov 20

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Red Star Line.....Friesland.....Nov 20
" ....Kensington.....Nov 27
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" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

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ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO R'Y.

TIME TABLE NO 25

To take effect at 8 a.m. on Monday, October 28, 1895. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING NORTH.

	Daily.	Sat'dy.
Lv. Victoria for Nanaimo and Wellington	A.M. 8.00	P.M. 3.20
Ar. Nanaimo	11.40	6.38
Ar. Wellington	12 00	6.55

GOING SOUTH.

	Daily.	Sat'dy.
	A.M.	P.M.
Lv. Wellington for Victoria	8.20	3.30
Lv. Nanaimo for Victoria	8.40	3.45
Ar. Victoria	12.20	7 00

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WRAPS AND JACKETS.

HOW THEY DIFFER FROM THOSE OF LAST SEASON.

It Is One of Small Detail Rather Than a Marked Change—The Basque Waist a Feature of New Gowns—Cashmere Scarfs. A Dainty Gown.

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The new wraps and jackets are now presented in full force, and very pretty indeed some of them are. They are somewhat like those of last season, and yet there is a difference. This difference is one of small detail rather than a marked change. For instance, there was a very handsome woolly biscuit colored diagonal cheviot. The skirt was flaring and had at the bottom, in front, two pyramids made of dark green ribbon loops, ten loops to each. The basque, or

NEW FALL WRAPS.

coat, was cut round and fitted the waist snugly. It was very full in the back. The sleeves were made with deep puffs, with the manches tight, and trimmed with loops of ribbon applied in the same way. The wide collar was of cream white cloth, with three flat rows of the ribbon all around. The collar was made with four rows of ribbon loops falling downward. Down the front of the waist there were six rows of ribbon, looped twice at the top and three times at the bottom. This made a very handsome and effective suit for fall. The hat to wear with this suit was of black tuscan, with a row of narrow loops of dark green ribbon all around the edge. On the top there was one large bow of wide ribbon in the same shade, the whole trimmed with bunches of waxy bay tree blossoms.

A very neat ordinary walking jacket was made of black whipcord. It was made to fit the figure closely by means of several narrow plaits taken in like darts in front. It was cut as is usual in jackets in the back. This jacket was single breasted and fastened down the front with large bone buttons. The lapels were stitched and pressed. The sleeves were plaited up to the elbow from the waist and left gigot shape at the top. Where the opening comes at the neck there was a plastron of the same with a collar, and both plastron and collar were prettily braided with soutache. There is much soutache used on fall costumes. Another new jacket had the fronts loose in reefer style, with three pockets, each with a stitched lid. The material for this was seal brown covert suiting, and it could be worn with a skirt of the same material or one of other color or kind. The back had a scalloped yoke, stitched in two rows. Below that the material was fitted to the figure by a series of pressed seams, five in the center and two on each side. It was triple stitched around the bottom. The sleeves were plain gigots, not very full. These two styles were for ordinary requirements, but both were neat and stylish. For more dressy occasions there was a very handsome costume. The gown was of fine dotted and hair striped cheviot in a grayish blue. The skirt was plain. The gigot sleeves had several rows of narrow black valenciennes from shoulder to waist. The waist was plain, but had four rows of gathered valenciennes down the front and one row around the bottom at the waist line. The stock collar was of the dress material without trimmings save for a very short flaring collar in the back edged with lace. Over all this was a Louis XVI basque of very rich deep blue moire. It was very full on the back of the skirt, and had points reaching down about six inches below the waist line in front. There was a flat collar of the same. This collar had all points hollowed up a little so as to accentuate

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them and make them appear sharper. The points in front at the waist were cut up in such a manner as to leave a marked line between the front and full back of the skirt to it, simulating a vest and cutaway basque. If this was made in black moire, it could be worn with anything, being sleeveless. There were three richly chased silver buttons about an inch in diameter on each side, but not intended for use, since the garment hangs open.

There was a novel wrap of black grosse faille, the back having one loose plait which was scarcely more than a pinch at the neck, though flaring below. This was done by the circular cut. The shoulders were cut to fit, and the sleeve part was laid in two double box plaits, which made it unusually full. The front parts of these plaited portions were turned back in the form of reversed revers. The back and sleeve falls were sewed together, but in front they were left open to the top of the shoulder. The front portion was in the form of stole tabs and these reached to the knees. They were of the faille doubled over quite stiff lining, and they were very neatly piped with bias faille. There was a high collar completely covered with turret loops of black grosgrain ribbon, and down the center of the front there was a line of these loops, wider at the top and narrowing down to one single loop. This allows the sleeve to show, as the tabs and back part are separate from the shoulders down. It is a very effective garment, but one not very suitable for windy days.

I notice on many of the new gowns that the basque waist is to be a feature. I remarked one in particular. The gown was of rich taffeta in a golden brown, with quite a large floral pattern in green and pink. The corsage was a basque, with the back part doubled up of the same silk and then plaited into a novel but indescribable number of points and folds. The front was arranged like a regular cutaway coat, with a vest of drab faille worked with brown sewing silk and spangles of gold and bronze. The vest and form of the basque in front were of the Louis XVI style. There was a very full ruff made of rosettes and loops of ribbon, pink, green and brown mingled. Naturally the shades of these colors were delicate and toned to artistic ideals.

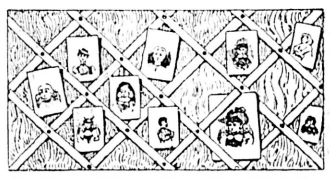
Among the novelties I notice a number of cashmere and silken "long shawls" or scarfs. The cashmere scarfs are very handsome and seem quite to belong to the quaint colors and forms now shown. They are rich and pleasing without being gaudy. They are to be carried over the arm or thrown carelessly over the shoulders. The silk ones are exquisite. I saw one of Central American make. It was of the softest and pearliest of blues, almost white. Near the ends were inwoven a few faint pink stripes. The warp is of white silk and the woof of the tinted, so that it leaves a very deep knotted fringe of white silk at the ends. The Spanish nations seem to be the only persons who understand this peculiar manner of knotting, and it is very beautiful. This scarf was 14 inches wide, woven so, and was three yards long. There are others in other colors, and also in pure white. These are very expensive, but elegant. To my taste they would appear more suitable to young persons than to older ones.

I noticed a very dainty gown for a young girl in one house. It was of dark blue twill, with three narrow tucks about the skirt. The waist was blouse style, with blue velvet bows at the waist and loops of the same at the collar. Down the front of the waist was an embroidery in honiton pattern laid over the material. There was a wide plaited collar of batiste across the shoulders, ornamented with flat linen buttons. The sleeves were looped gigots.

HENRIETTE ROUSSEAU.

Photograph Holder.

Now that so many doors are made with crosswise panels, a pretty decoration for them may be contrived in the shape of a photograph or card holder. A piece of heavy strawboard is cut the exact size of the panel, so that it will fit in-



side the molding. One side of it is then covered with figured china silk, which is stretched tight over it and the edges glued down on the other side. Across the face of the board is arranged a latticework of narrow ribbons harmonizing with the silk in color. The ends of the strips are glued down on the wrong side, and where the ribbons cross they are tacked to the board by means of small brass clamps. The board is then fitted in over the door panel and fastened with small tacks, and cards or photographs are slipped under the ribbons.

ISABELLA PROCTOR.

For Autumn.

Combinations of different fabrics are to continue in favor, and richly brocaded velvet with satin finished plain cloth will be one of the handsomest for autumn gowns. The skirts and sleeves will be made of the brocade, and the bodice of the plain cloth, or vice versa. There will be more novelties in very rich silks than in woolen goods. Little change is seen in the latter, crepon effects prevailing, and those of mohair or of mohair mixtures will be in highest favor. The new mohairs—meaning of the alpaca or brilliantine nature—are woven of so heavy threads in the wool as to seem almost repped. The heaviest are almost as stiff as horsehair crinoline, and their price, $2.50 per yard, will keep them exclusive. The popular changeable effects are also seen in these, and the wool threads being so much coarser than those of the warp, an infinitesimal check is formed which is very pretty.

Gowns of beige alpaca are combined with white satin, brown chiffon or batiste, which sounds very absurd till you see it, when you are bound to confess that the effect is both chic and elegant. —From "Review of Fashions" in Demorest's Magazine.

Cocoanut Cream.

Whip a pint of cream to a stiff froth. Have ready three-quarters of a box of gelatin which has been soaked in a cup of milk for half an hour, and the milk heated until the gelatin is dissolved. Strain and when cool add it to the cream with a cup of sugar and 2 cups of cocoanut. Either the desiccated cocoanut or the fresh nut grated can be used. Put the cream into a mold and set it on ice or in a very cold place.

DRESS FOR THE WHEEL.

Women's Crusade to Gain the Use of Their Lower Limbs.

In condemning trousers for wheelwomen Mrs. Booth has made the common mistake of considering that either modesty or immodesty can reside in clothes. It cannot. The modesty is in the woman, not in her garments. Womanliness is a quality inherent in woman, not in her dress. That point all will concede who have a grain of sense. A modest woman is always modest, no matter what clothes she may have on.

That being settled, now let us come to the next point. Shall woman be permitted to ride a bicycle at all? The majority of mankind say she may, without sacrificing either womanliness or modesty. Then let her wear the most appropriate dress for wheeling, and let us have no more foolishness about it. Mrs. Maude Ballington Booth has undoubtedly never attempted to ride a bicycle in skirts. Neither have the men who criticise the wearing of bloomers by wheelwomen. If I had my way, I would sentence Mrs. Ballington Booth and every man who in the slighest degree condemns or jeers at woman's bloomers to ride 50 miles on a wheel in skirts and to ride as fast as they can, with a wind blowing square in their faces. It would be in the nature of a very large revelation both to the Booth and the men. They would suddenly see a great light. A skirt upon a wheel is troublesome and dangerous unless it is so short as to cease to serve the purpose of the conventional skirt at all. Then why have it at all?

The first time I ever tried to ride a bicycle in a skirt I tore a ghastly rent in it and ruined it, and it was a good serge skirt too. A young lady friend of mine, an expert rider who usually wears bloomers on the wheel, attempted, a week or two ago, to ride in a skirt. She caught her heel in it and received a dangerous fall directly in front of a heavy, rapidly moving truck. Yes; I do confess I would like to see the men who jeer at bloomers sentenced to ride bicycles 50 miles wearing skirts in a head wind.

The truth is this: Woman is now engaged in a warfare to gain the use of her lower limbs. She has never had the use of them, never, since the dawn of modern history. It was not of her own seeking that she left the ancient domestic seclusion and entered the lists of active, hustling life. She was forced into it by the conditions of modern society. She had to earn her own living, had to provide for others than herself. Seeing this, her brothers have kindly removed one by one most of the disabilities which shackled her, at least legally. Woman in the most enlightened and advanced of the United States has now nearly as many legal and property rights as she enjoyed in pagan Rome. But her dress has remained the same, almost the identical pattern the five hundred and odd inmates of King Solomon's harem wore in their oriental retirement. Man long ago emancipated himself from oriental petticoats. He found they were not at all the thing for western hustling. Women merely lagged behind, that was all. There is no costume that belongs by divine right or by legislative enactment either to men or to women, another fact that Mrs. Booth seems to have forgotten. The dress that is best suited for the purpose for which it is wanted is the only appropriate one. For indoors nothing is so beautiful, æsthetic and appropriate as soft, bright, flowing robes. There is no danger that even the most "advanced" woman will ever seek to discard them for leisure hours.

But for active, outdoor wear, in all situations, a less hampering, more convenient attire is now imperatively demanded. This movement means nothing less than that. For women who must use their feet in all weathers a costume must be evolved that will enable them to do so. That the bicycle has brought up the issue I am devoutly thankful. As I say, woman is making a heroic fight to obtain the use of her lower limbs, and in that war our brothers one and all will help us. Of that I have no shadow of doubt.

As to the character of the brave woman who dared and mounted her wheel in the only dress appropriate for wheel riding, I have found this so far as my own personal observation goes: The bloomer ladies are one and all of the refined, intelligent class, women with a purpose, and they wear bloomers as a matter of principle as well as convenience, hoping thereby to do their share in the emancipating of the feet of their sex. They do not ask other women to adopt their costume. They simply ask to be allowed to wear their own dress without let or hindrance, permitting others to do as they blessed please. As to the looks of the bloomer costume on the wheel it is well to remember the dictum of Ruskin that that dress is most beautiful which is best fitted to its use. So far as modesty on a wheel is concerned, moreover, the fact is that the full gymnasium trousers worn by most women reveal the outline of the figure much less than a plain, scant skirt does.

Some day perhaps the United States will be as civilized as Japan. Then so long as an individual is decently covered he or she will be permitted to dress as he or she pleases, without interference either from hoodlums or bigots.

The subterfuges, the buttons, the elastics, the plaits and the tacking adopted to avoid the necessity of throwing aside once for all the skirt on the wheel and coming out in plain bloomers are pathetic as well as humorous. But they will not serve. If a skirt is short enough to be out of the way for wheel riding, it is so short as no longer to be anything of a skirt to speak of. In a wind or in rapid riding it inflates like a balloon, and is often indecorous as well as unsightly. Indeed with the skirt bicycle costume the bloomers must invariably be worn under the skirt. Then why the skirt at all? It is as useless and irritating as the vermiform appendix is to mankind.

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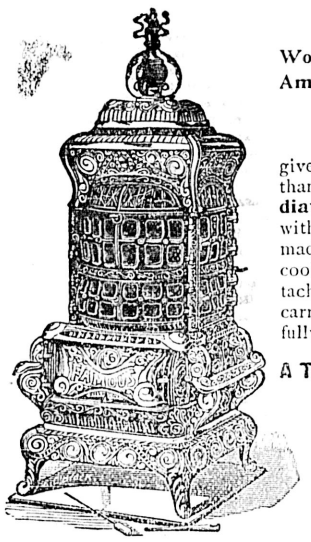

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WM. W. NORTHCOTT, Assessor.

City Hall, Victoria, B.C., November 1st, 1895. no1-1m

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9 a. m..	38°	Highest 47°	5 a.m.—4 N.W.
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STEINBERGER—At Glenford Avenue, Lake District, on the 6th inst., Annie, beloved wife of Wm. Steinberger.

The funeral takes place on Thursday, at 1 p.m., from above residence to Ross Bay cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation.

JOHNSTON—At his residence, No. 28 Simcoe street, on the 4th instant, James Johnston, a native of Orkney Islands, aged 63 years.

The funeral will take place on Thursday, November 7th, at 2:30 p.m., from the family residence as above. Friends will please accept this intimation.

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

The Austin, Texas, Regatta—Golf Fixtures for Saturday—A Wheel Record.

AUSTIN, Tex., Nov. 5.—There was an immense crowd in attendance upon to day's races, and they saw fine sport. The first race was a half mile dash for $100. Teemer, Jake Gaudaur and Rogers came in in the order named. The other starters were Barry, Haines, Wingate, Petersen, Hanlan and Bubear. Teemer won by half a length. Time, 3:02½.

The trial heat between the English doubles for position in the final three miles against Teemer and Rogers, the American crew, was won by Bubear and Barry by half a length. Time, 19:34¾. Bubear and Barry will now have to row Teemer and Rogers tomorrow for a purse and the championship, and as their time to day was 19:34¼ against Teemer and Rogers' corrected time yesterday of 18:02½, the sports are choosing the Americans as winners and giving odds.

The next race was a mile and a half straight away, between Rose Mosentheim, of St. Louis, and Tillie Ashley, of Hartford, Conn. Miss Mosentheim won by a half a length in 12:17½.

THE WHEEL.

RADWAY'S HALF CENTURY RECORD.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—Frank F. Radway started in yesterday to ride one hundred miles unpaced but gave up after covering 58 miles. He rode the 50 miles in 2 hours 31 minutes 25 seconds, unpaced, a new Canadian record.

THE police are making energetic inquiries for the whereabouts of one Brian Boro—not the Irish King or any of his descendants, but the bulldog king who owns Archie Macnaughton as his master and protector Brian disappeared from the Oriental hotel Monday evening, and since then has been as invisible as a crack in the atmosphere. Any information as to the whereabouts of the missing pet will be gladly received; Brian's open countenance could not be mistaken even in Egyptian darkness, and he enjoys the distinction of being not only the best bred dog of his class in Canada, but the ugliest. His face bears strong evidence of having been disturbed by a pile driver, and otherwise his reputation is along the lines of grace and breeding rather than fatal beauty.

GOLF.

SATURDAY'S HANDICAP.

The mixed foursome club handicap is arranged for Saturday afternoon next on the Oak Bay links. The secretary will be pleased to receive the names of intending players by Thursday afternoon at the latest. An entrance fee of 50 cents is asked, for gentlemen players only, and two prizes are offered.

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A MYSTERY OF DEATH.

The Body of Mattie "Crow" Found in Her House Under Suspicious Circumstances.

It May Have Been Natural Death, Suicide or Murder—The Inquest To-day.

A case of mysterious and sudden death which offers quite as many and as confusing contradictions as the recent demise of Cape Mudge Sally will this afternoon be the subject of an official inquiry by Coroner Crompton. The subject of the investigation, a colored woman by the name of Mattie J. Smith, but more generally known as Mattie "Crow," was found dead in her residence, 27 Discovery street, yesterday morning, and the circumstantial evidence at hand may bear out almost any theory as to the cause of the woman's death.

Mattie "Crow" came to this city from Winnipeg five or six years ago, where she was during the latter eighties a member of the sporting fraternity well known to the police all the way from the Manitoba capital to Calgary. During the last three years she has shared her house with a young bartender named Edward Robrig, who occupied one room of the little dwelling on Discovery street, she using the other. Robrig returned home between 11:30 and 12 o'clock Monday night and as he passed Mattie's room noticed a light within. This was not at all unusual and he was soon asleep in his own room, thinking nothing about the matter.

When he arose in the morning the light was still burning, and this being a circumstance out of the common, he investigated. As a result he discovered the body of the colored woman lying on the floor with a portion of the bed clothing drawn over it. The corpse was very scantily dressed, and about the neck a four-in-hand tie that the woman had been accustomed to wear was tightly tied with a double knot coming just below the ear. Blood had evidently flowed freely from the mouth and nose, and this, with the suspicious knotted tie, and the fact that the bureau drawers appeared to have been hastily turned upside down, led Robrig to suspect something serious amiss and caused him to communicated the facts of his discovery to the police without delay.

Officer Carson was first on the scene, and later in the day Detective Perdue and Officer Palmer also came into the case. They found indications in the room that two persons had recently occupied it—but how recently was a question very difficult to determined. There were no signs of a struggle and no evidence of robbery having been committed—as a matter of fact the unfortunate woman was all but stranded as her small belongings, which as a matter of fact did not appear to have been molested, would have offered temptation to no one.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION.

Guy Fawkes' Gunpowder Plot "Remembered" by a Grand Orange Ball Last Evening.

In celebration of the anniversary of the gunpowder plot, Capital lodge, No. 1667, L.O.L., gave a well attended ball in Assembly hall last evening. There were in the neighborhood of 150 couples present, who thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The temperature of the hall was particularly well suited to dancing, while the fine music of Richardson's orchestra had a magnetic effect on the dancers, who comprised about all who were present. To J. C. Richards is due the credit for the tasteful appearance of the hall, and to James Cummings, John Walker, A. McAfee, W. Allan and Wm. Wallace as floor managers; and J. Wallace, J W. Creighton, H. McDonald, William Lough, S. G. Campbell, A. Erskine and R. Boyd as a reception committee the thanks of those present are specially due. At midnight a sumptuous supper was provided, which was carefully and ably presided over. The programme of dance music provided was as follows: Lancers, waltz, polka, schottische, waltz, quadrille, "Bon Ton," ripple, waltz, French minuet, schottische, quadrille, waltz, polka, schottische, waltz, ripple, lancers, French minuet, rye waltz, ripple, "Broncho," waltz, polka, Jersey, waltz.

AGAINST THE INSURGENTS.

Spaniards in New York Purchase an Ocean-Going Tug.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The local papers say: The Spanish colony in this city has purchased for $18,000 a large ocean-going tug, which they will turn into a gunboat and present to the Spanish government for the purpose of aiding Spain to guard the Cuban coast against landing expeditions of filibusters and protect Spanish commercial interests.

AS A concluding feature of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Reformed Episcopal church a much enjoyed social was held in the school house of the church last evening. The programme was as follows: Piano duet, Mrs. W. R. Higgins and Miss R. Mactavish; song, Miss Eva Bradley; quartette, Mrs. Helmcken, Miss Mouat, Messrs. Keith, and Laundy; song, Mr. Greyelle; tea; vocal duet, Mrs. Helmcken and Miss Mouat; piano solo, Miss R. Mactavish: song, Mr. W. R. Higgins; vocal duet, Messrs. Bradley and Laundy; violin solo, Master Jim Fawcett; and glee, the choir.

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CONVICTED MURDERERS.

Holmes Rightly Described as "the Man of Steel and Heart of Stone."

Durrant Joins in Prayer With the Editor of the "War Cry."

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 5.—H. H. Holmes, the convicted murderer of B. F. Pitzel, spent a quiet day in his cell in Moyamensing prison. "This man of steel and heart of stone," as the district attorney described him to the jury, does not evince in the slightest degree any outward signs of breaking down. With death actually before him now, he is the same cool and callous Holmes. The prison regulations prevent anyone from interviewing him to-day, but a message was sent out that he slept well last night, was feeling comfortable and still confident that his innocence would yet be established. Extra care has been taken that he cannot commit suicide. A double guard has been placed in his cell and will remain there until he is executed. He is still in the untried department, but as soon as the death sentence is pronounced he will be taken to a cell in "murderers' row."

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Nov. 5.—Mrs. Pitzel has requested that the charred bones of her little son Howard, and the few personal effects of his, that were found in Holmes' Irvington death-trap, be sent her to Galva, Ills., where she will bury them.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5.—Durrant knelt on the hard floor of the county jail yesterday and prayed. The jury had decided that he was not entitled to mercy and must die, but a Salvation Army warrior told him that when they denied mercy and forgiveness the Father of all—of sinners as well as saints—would not turn a deaf ear to any supplication. Cold, hard, impenetrable, Durrant seemed. His heart was hard as flint. It may be flint-like still, but a wearer of the Salvation Army uniform struck a spark from it to-day. The man who persuaded Durrant to pray was Harry Parks, one of the editors of the War Cry.

Shortly after noon a quartette of Salvation Army preachers and singers visited the cell. They stationed themselves in the yard in the rear of Durrant's cell, in which is a little window. Prisoners who are confined for petty offences were permitted to join in the services. When the first hymn was sung the little curtain over Durrant's window was pulled aside and his pale face appeared at the opening. He gazed pensively at the enthusiasts. "There is Sunshine in My Soul To-Day" they sang. There was none in Durrant's. His soul was apparently as gloomy as the dark sky. He dropped the curtain, but the exhortations of the army workers reached him through the window. When Parks, who had made an appointment to see Durrant, called after the departure of the other Salvationists, he found the way to Durrant's sensibilities paved for him.

Parks introduced himself in a manly, considerate way. He told Durrant he was his friend whether he was innocent or guilty of the crime he had been convicted of, since he was a minister of God whose duty it was to give spiritual comfort. Parks was evidently sincere, and Durrant expressed his thanks. Then Parks spoke of God and the eternal life beyond the world. He asked Durrant to devote his thoughts to that other life. He spoke with feeling, and while he was thus engaged a lady belonging to the Society of Christian Endeavor, to which society Durrant belonged when he was an attendant at the Emanuel Baptist church, entered the room. She had been visiting some of the prisoners, and after making the rounds of the cells, she paused at the door of the jailor's office, listened, and finding that there was no objection to her presence, she joined in the religious talk. The three conversed earnestly for some minutes. "Let us pray," said Parks, when he felt that the proper moment had come. "Mr. Durrant, will you join us in prayer." The lady went on her knees and Durrant needed no urging The three looked into each other's faces and for fully ten minutes Parks continued, the others following him. When the prayer was over the three sat and exchanged a few words. Then Durrant's visitors shook him by the hand, bade him goodbye, and he returned to his cell.

The defence has decided upon a plan of action. An appeal will be taken to the Supreme court on the ground that the jury was intimidated by newspaper criticism and was forced to bring in a verdict of guilty. The usual technical objections to the trial, will, of course, be made, but they will be subsidiary to the main argument that newspaper discussion made it impossible for the accused to receive a fair trial. The defence will argue that they were sensational and thoroughly biased against the defendant. It will be claimed that they created a public sentiment which the jury did not dare resist. With such a plea Durrant will go before the Supreme court for a reversal of the judgment of the lower court and for an order for a new trial. If that be denied he will pay the penalty for his terrible crime with his life.

Durrant had many visitors yesterday, ministers, friends, mother and father and attorneys. Even a juror—Horace Smythe—called upon him. Juror Smythe is eccentric. He likes to do odd things, and affects odd manners. He never did a stranger thing in his life than when he stood at the wicket of Durrant's cell and talked with the young man whose life he had declared the day before should be forfeited to the state. Juror Smythe went away satisfied that he had done his duty when he wrote "Guilty" upon his first ballot.

A MILLION DOLLAR FIRE.

Fierce and Destructive Conflagration in an Important Part of New York City.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—So fierce and stubborn was a fire which broke out in a clothing house at 17 Crosby Street to-night, that before it could be got under control, damage which is estimated at a million dollars was done. The flames so soon got beyond the control of the firemen that an alarm had to be turned in calling all the engines of the city below 59th street. From the point where the fire was first seen the flames ran quickly through the building, which extends from the corner of Crosby and Bleeker streets through the 150 foot block until it makes the southeast corner of Broadway and Bleeker street. This building was destroyed. From this building the flames got into the structure adjoining on the south, while to the north the flames shot across Bleeker street, caught the enormous building of the Manhattan Savings Institution, the upper stories of which soon crushed and fell with a great crash while firemen were working on the lower floors. J. Adler & Co. control the clothing establishment on the floor where it started. Beneath them on the ground of the building, facing Broadway is the Empire State Bank. On the upper floors are Lauterbak & Co., silks and several like concerns. Half an hour after the flames were first seen in Crosby street the building had been demolished.

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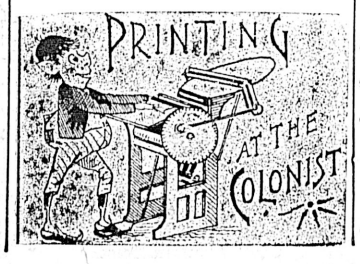

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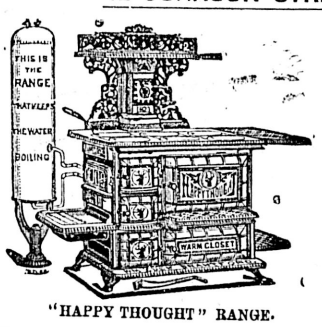

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